Banks.

CORPORATION.

Court of Directors:-

Chairman-S. D. Sassoon, Esq.

Deputy Chairman-W. H. FORDES, Esq.

Chief Manager.

Hongkong-James Greig, Esq.

Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq.

London Bankers-London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

For 3 months' 2 per cent. per annum

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

every description of Banking and Exchange

Drafts-granted on London, and the chief

JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager.

commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,

No. 1. Queen's Road East.

tt 10621. Hongkong, 13th February, 1873.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the balf-year

AGRA BANK, LIMITED.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

INSURANCE COMPANY.

with instructions received from the Board

ending on Slet December last, at the rate

JAMES GREIG.

Manager, Hangkong Branch.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

GILMAN & Co., Agenta,

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE.

187. LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1843.

CAPITAL .- Two MILLION STEELING.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

HIS MAJESTY WING GEORGE THE PIRST.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

LIFE DEPARTMENT.

CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Agents for the above Corporation, are

A.D. 1720.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

A. MCIVER, Agent.

NORTON, LYALL & Co.

Chief Manager.

Credite-granted onapproved Scourities, and

per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:-

business transacted.

America, China and Japan.

Offices of the Corporation,

H. Molchers. Esq.

Thos. Pyke, Esq.

Hon. R. Rowett.

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Co. March 3, Malacca, Brit. str., 1,683, J. D.	Deputy Chairn E. R. Relilios. Kaq.
O. Gaby, Yokohama 25th February, Silk and Seawced.—P. & O. S. N. Co.	A. F. Heard, Esq. A. Joost, Esq. H. B. Lemans, Esq.
March 4, Sunda, Brit. str., 1,217, W. H. G. Hockin, Shanghai 28th February, Gene-	Hongkong
ral.—P. & O. S. N. Co. March 4, U.S. corvette Lackawanna, 1,600,	Shanghai-
Cape. Paul Shirley, Manila March 1st. March 4, Bourann, French corvette, 1,200,	London Bankers
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AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, MARCH 4TH.	No. 1. Quee
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Passengers. Per Sunda, etc., from Shanghai,—	NOTICE TO
For Europe.—Mesers. J. P. Bissatt, O. W. lield. J. Robertson and P. A. Holm. For	of Twelve per con
longkong.—Mr. and Mrs. Smith, child, and ervant, Messrs. C. Chinoy. W. H. P. Piller,	paid up Share of \$ FRIDAY, the 14t
N., and J. Seaton, and AS Chinese. Per Malacca, str., from Yokohama,— Mr. Watapabi, Secretary of Legation, and	the Corporation, quested to apply for By order of the
Ir. Seyeda, his clork, Mrs. Watanabi, Mr. Aka- latz, Director of Arsenals of the Naval De-	By order of th
artment, the Prince of Nabeshims, Baron on Siebold, Dr. Wagner and a Japanese	. tf 273. Hongko
outh, Mrs. Goddard, child. and servant, Messrs. Lankawa, C. S. Bland, J. Russell, and Warche,	AGRA I
Bonosta	NOTICE is her with instruction of Directors, the H
The French corvette Bourages reports left	be closed on 31st I date Messrs, GILM
kno ((Formosa) on let March, had moderate onsoon and fine weather throughout.	for the Bank at th
The U.S. corvette Lackawanna reports left anils on let March, had fresh monsoon (with	2, Queen's Road E Hongkong, 13th
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The German bark Wilhelm reports left Sain on 8th Feb., and Cape St. James came day,	THE Undersign
ortherly, throughout the passage. A Spanish rig left Saigon, also an English bark, names	A Agents of the
known, for Hongkongthe same day.	the extent of \$60.0 stored thereon.
The British steamship Eliza Hunting reports it Kobs on 23rd February, experienced very	tf Hongkong,
rong N.E. monsoon and high sea to Amoy, here put in for orders. Left Amoy on March ad; from thence had moderate measure and	NORTH BRITIS
ne weather to arrival, at 12 midnight of the	RHOM and afte will be cha Insurances, viz:-
The P. & O. steamship Malacca reports left	Not exceeding Above 1 month,
okohama on 25th February; to Turnabout esh gales from the Northward, with violent balls and very high sea; from thence to port	and not exceed- ing
rench mail steamers Menzaleh at 4 p.m., and	and not exceed-
rovence at 7 p.m., on the 3rd instant.	Above 6 months t
The P. & O. steamship Sunda reports left anghai at noon on 28th February, had modete N.E. monsoon and fine weather through-	On and after the cent. off the above surers.
at the passage; arrived off the Nine Pink at 30 a.m. 4th, stood off easy waiting for day-	North British & M
gut. Off the Lammocks, passed a steamer tanding to N.E., supposed to be the steamship	tf 1167 Hong PHŒNIX FIRE
iushu. Off Namoa passed a steamer, sup- osed to be the Formesa, bound to N.E. At	TAROM this dat
p.m. on the 3rd, passed the French mail, ound up.	current local rate
Vessels Expected at Hongkong.	upon insurances e DOU
(Corrected to Date.) Vessel's Name. From. Dates. Queeu of the Sens. Penarth May 11	tf 1192 Hongl
HimalayaNew YorkMay 18 EastGlasgowJune 8	VICTORIA FIR OF HON
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Vessels from Ports in China and Japan	IMPERIAL
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Araby MaidLondonOct. 20	Agents for prepared to gran MARIN Policies at current in London, or at

FRIDAY, the 14th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are reohama,--of Legation, and | quested to apply for Warrants. By order of the Board of Directors, tanabi, Mr. Akathe Naval Debeahims, Baron tf 273. Hongkong, 13th February, 1973. ind a Japanese d servant, Messrs. sell, and Warche, 14 Chinese deck: MIOTIOE is hereby given, that in accordanceof Directors, the HONGKONG BRANCH will be closed on 31st December, 1872, after which iyas reports left date Mesars, GILMAN & Ou, will act as Agents. ch, had moderate for the Bank at this Port.)ughout. mna reports left 2. Queen's Road East, sh monsoon (with Hongkong, 13th December, 1872, [3m 2178] reports left Sai-James came day, THE Undersigned having been appointed occusionally more A gents of the above Company at this Port. esage. A Spanish are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to lish bark, names the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods same day. Hunting reports tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864. experienced very gh sea to Amoy, NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE Amoy on March ate monsoon and DIROM and after this date the following rates midnight of the will be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz :— Not exceeding 1 month of the annual rate acca reports left | Above 1 month. ry; to Turnabout and not exceed- 3 ; 1 do. do. ard, with violent ing om thence to port Above Smonths) ne. Passed the and not exceed- 6ing.... Above 6 months the full-annual rate. instant. On and after this date, a discount of 20 per bruary, had modecent. off the above rates will be allowed to inweather through- surers. he Nine Pins at waiting for day- North British & Mercantile Insurance Company, passed a steamer tf 1167 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872. be the steamship PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY a steamer, supand to N.E. At TROM this date, until further notice, a disthe French mail, Count of Twenty per cent. (20°/,) upon the current local rates of premia will be allowed upon insurances effected with this Company. Hongkong. tf 1192. Hongkong, 27th June, 1872 Dates. VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY rk..... May 18 JuneJuly 31 k Aug. 3 k.....Sept. th Oct, andJan. ol.....Jan.Jun. ol.....Jan.Jan. 14 hina and Japan nd America. Date of Leaving. d (f.o.)..Nov. being payable on the issue of the Policy,Nov.Nov. 8 el (Lo)..Nov. 22 urg......Nov. 80 if U59 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872. uth (f.o)Dec. LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM 1 Dec. 11 ork.,,,Jap. 15 ork Jan. .19 ork Jun. - 19 THE Undersigned is authorised to accept ork.....Jan. 20 risks on behalf of this Office, by First ork Feb. 4 Class Steamers and Sailing Ships. tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867. ork Oct. 23 Zork Oct. 29 THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY ork Nov. 27 ork Nov. 28 n......Dec. 10 Agent for the above Company at this ork Dec. 13 port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, ork.....Dec. 15 to the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. n.....Nov. tf 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE LONDON ASSURANCE York.....Dec. 2 York Dec. 16 GHAL. York Oct. 21 on.......Oct. 26 THE undersigned having been appointed lon......Oct. 20 on......Oct. 29 prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-York.....Nov. Policies at current rates, payable either here, ork Nov. in London, or at the principal Ports of India, Mary Whitridge New York Nov. 15 China, and Australia. Claro Babuyan New York Nov. 23 Dilkhoosh New York Nov. 24 Policies issued for long or short periods at Centurion New York Nov. 26 Glengairn London Nov. 29 current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. Hopewell......London Nov. 29 Fiery Cross London Dec. 3 Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, Sarah Nicholson New York Dec. 10 on reasonable terms. Lady Elizabeth New York Dec. 20 BorealisNew York Dec. 28 tf 1363 Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. Elizabeth Graham ... New, York Jao. 17 Omba,.....New York....Jan. 25 Auction Sales To-day. None. KRUPP'S CAST STEEL WORKS. essen (Germany.) SOLE AGENT FOR CHINA AND JAPAN, F. PEIL. ti 1671 Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologne (Germany.) | ti 663 Hongkong, 9th April 1872

THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS is called to the future distribution of the Profits of this Company, two-thirds (2/3rds) of which, after payment of interest, will now be divided amongst all Contributors of business, whether Shareholders or not, rateably in protion to the amount of Nett Premis contributed, will be allowed to all contributors. WM. PUSTAU & Co...

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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, 5TH MARCH, 1873.

To be Let. LIONGKONG & SHANGHALBANKING .-Possession on 1st April. A THREE STOREY Comfortable HOUSE THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auc-PAID UP CAPITAL 5.000,000 of Dollars. RESERVE FUND 1,000,000 of Dollars. order, having nine rooms and a fine view of the barbour. Gas and Water laid on. Rent moderate. Apply at No. 12, Hollywood Road. 25! Hongkong, 4th March, 1873.

TWO Large Airy ROOMS, in a central part I of the town. Address, "X. Y. Z." care of Daily Press Office. tf 350 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1873. VIIIH possession from the lat May.

VV "CRAIGENGOWER," Caine Road. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. tf 340 Hongkong, 1st March, 1873. TO LET, On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 With possession on or about 15th April next. THE RESIDENCE known as "BELL VUE," situated in Albany Road.

For particulars, apply to R. F. HAWKE. tf 341 : Hongkong, 1st March, 1873. TO LET, From the 1st March next. THE HOUSE No. 31, Wyndham Street. Ap-

J. A. DE CARVALHO. 2w 306 Hongkong, 24th February, 1873. TO LET. NO. 1 and 2, WESTBOURNE VILLAS, situated on the Bonham Road. situated on the Bonham Road.

RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co.,

Architects, &c.

House Agents.

tf 130 Hongkong, 20th January, 18731 TO LET. With immediate possession). THAT very desirable BUNGALOW, situate at Pokfoolum, and known as "BEL- Co.'s Store, West Point, the following CON. date.

mith, child, and of Twelve per cont. per anaum, say \$7.50 per MONT," with Bowling Alley, Coach House, DEMNED STORES, on paid up Share of \$125, is payable on and after 4-stalled Stable, &c., attached. Water laid on. Apply to GILMAN & Co. tf 1132 Hongkong, 19th June, 1872. TO LET.

> Esq. Possession on the 1st May next. HOUSE No. 7, in Caine Road, formerly oc- ROSIN, Topsuil HALYARD, &c. capied by T. PXXE, Esq. Possession on the lat March next. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. tf 258 Hongkong, 13th February, 1873. ITHAT Desirable RESIDENCE known a

PERSEPOLIS" situated in Bonbam Road, containing 12 Rooms, (besides Basement Story), Bath Rooms, &c., Water and Gas throughout, also large Garden, Ground Ground, Stabling, &c. Possession on 15th March. Apply to BARRINGTON & ALGAR.

tf 22 Hongkong, 3rd January, 1873. TU LET. TXTITH possession on the 1st January next, VV or prior to that date if required, that Commodious TWO-SIORIED HOUSE situated in Caine Road, and known as "Forest Lodge," with Out-offices, Stabling, Coach-

house, Aviaries, Garden, and also a Orcone Lawn attached. Has Gas and Water laid throughout. For further particulars, apply to E. D. HASSOON-& Co. tf 1842 Hongkong, 2nd November, 1872,

TO LET. (With immediate possession). THAT highly desirable and commodious L. Family residence, "FAIRLEA," situated in Bonbam Road West, and formerly in the occupation of ROBERT MCMURDO, Esq. There are 12 Rooms, 3 Stalled-stable, Coach-house Harness Room, large Kitchen Garden, and Pleasure Grounds, Gas and Water laid through-ED. SHARP & TOLLER. Solicitors.

tf 172 Hongkong, 25th January, 1872. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE DIVIDEND declared for the half year L ended 31st Dec., 1872, at the rate of Six per cent. per annum (6 %), will be payable at the Honokong and Shanghai Bank on and K. K. PRIV. CESTERREICH. VERSICHEafter FRIDAY, the 28th Feb. Dividend Warrants must be obtained from the Acting Secretary at the office of the Company, No. 1, Ulub Chambers.

THIS Company, with its Head Office at By order. L Hongkong, and Agencies at the various ROBERT DUNCAN, Treaty Ports in China and Japan, is prepared Acting Secretary, rates. to issue Policies of Insurance, at the current 1m 313 Hongkong, 25th February, 1873. rates of Premium at the respective places. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.. Secretaries. tf 557 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

/ MHE DIVIDEND at the rate of 16 per cent. per annum, or \$6 per share, declared at TAROM this date until further notice, a the Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting of Share-Return of Twenty per cent. (20%), will be bolders held this day, will be payable at the made, on the Premium charged on all Insur- Hongkong and Shanghar Banking Corpoances effected with this Office; such Return RATION on and after SATURDAY next, the 16th instant. Shareholders are requested to apply at the office of the Company for War-Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. | rauts.

By order of the Board of Directors, -AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. tf 112 Hongkong, 16th January, 1873. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY. · LIMITED.

THE DIVIDEND of \$3 (Three Dollars) per cent. to 31st December, 1872, declared at the Half-yearly Meeting of the Hongkons HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED, will be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-PORATION on and after MONDAY next, the 27th instant. Shareholders may obtain Dividend Warrants for the same on application to THE Undersigned having been appointed the undersigned. By Order of the Board,

ED. BAKER, tf 155 Hongkong, 24th January, 1873. CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR END-ING 31st DECEMBER, 1872.

CONTRIBUTORS of business to the above mentioned Company are hereby requested to hand to the Undersigned before the First day of March next, papers shewing their contributions for the year ending 31st December. 1872, in order that their share of the divisible profits may be ascertained. Should such Contributors fail to render the returns specified, their accounts will be made up in conformity with the books of the Company. OLYPHANT & Co.,

tf 24 Hongkong, 1st January, 1873. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY TIME Undersigned having been appointed

Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1869. NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date, a Discount of 20

per cent. on the current rates of Premia Class Rick. BOBERT S. WALKER & Co., -Agents, Royal Insurance Company. if 1162 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872.

.Notices of Firms. Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. TO-MORROW.

the 6th day of March, 1873, at noon, At his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-14 Hhds. Bass' ALE., Hbds. PORTER. 10 Barrels American BEEF. 50 Drums Boiled OIL. Barrels PITCH. 21 Boxes China Dried OLIVES.

SOY. 50 Packages Dried VEGETABLES. SWEETMEATS. 8 Boxes CHEROOTS. 30 Reams FOOLSCAP PAPER. SOCKS, SUARFS, Neck TIES, FLANNEL SHIRTS, OAPS, RUGS, &c..

An Invoice of Bent Briar Root PIPES and Wood PIPES, Fancy Shell BOXES and Work BOXES, Gilt BROOCHES, EARRINGS, CHAINS, LOCKETS, Scarf PINS, CROSSES and LINKS, Seal Skin FURSES, &c. An Invoice of Assorted Fanoy Toilet SOAP

CROCKERY WARE, IRONMONGERY, &c., . a partner in both houses. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

363 Hongkong, 5th March, 1873. FUHLIO AUCTION.

FIHE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at the P. & O. MONDAY.

the 10th March, 1873, at 11 o'clock,-Old CASKS, Oil TINS, Side FORTS, Sorap IRON, Fire BARS, Marble Washstand TOPS ROPE, CHAIN, Weighing-MACHINES, Cow I OUSE No. 1, in Seymour Terrace, at pre- HOUSES, Sheep PENS, COOPS, Iton 56lbs. sent in the occupation of A. HANCOCK, and 28lbs. WEIGHTS, Hot Plate CHESTS, ANCHORS, Slate TANK, Portland CEMENT,

2 Blakeley 20-pounder Muzzle Loading Steel GUNS, complete, with Shot and Shell: 2 Iron 12-pounder GUNS; 2 Iron 9-pounder GUNS; 3 Iron SWIVELS; and I Hand Fire ENGINE. TERMS OF SABE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults of description, to be at purchasers' risk on fall of the bammer. OHAS, H. MORGAN, Auctioneer

364 Hongkong, 5th March, 1873. PUBLIC AUCTION.

I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. bave received instructions to sell by Public Auction, off their Wharf, on SATURDAY, the 15th March, 1873, at 12 o'clock noon,-

The Steam-Lannoh "EMME."Length on Kecl 52 feet. Beam, 8 feet, 4 inches. Depth, 5 feet. Horse-power, 25, with Locomotive Boiler. Brass SCREW, and Spare Cast Iron SCREW. AWNING fore and att. TERMS OF SALE, Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of descriptions, at purchasers' risk from the full of the hammer.

A. MILLAR & CO. LIOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS. COPPERSMITHS & BRASSFOUNDERS. No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane, Opposite H.M. Naval Dock Yard. tf 387 Hongkong, lat March, 1871.

359 Hongkong, 4th March 1873.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned begs to inform the Restdents of this Colony, that he is ready to give LESSONS in EXCLISH and FRENCH, and solicits their kind patronage. Terms moderate. Son Risks at current rates. Apply to J. M. HANLON, No. 12, Aberdeen Street, Hongkong. 6m 210 Hongkong, 5th February, 1873.

RUNGS-GESELLSCHAFT "DONAU," VIENNA, LIMITED. THE Undersigned, having been appointed L General Agents for the above Company,

are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current MELCHERS & Co. 6m 2113 Hongkong, 1st December, 1872. TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY OF HAMBURG. THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept risks against Fire, subject to a

SIEMSSEN & Co.. tf 39 Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. NOTICE.

bonus of 20 per cent.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

TAROM and after this date the following rates will be charged SHORT PERIOD In-Not exceeding Ten days & of the annual rate Not exceeding 1 month tof the annual rate Above 1 month, and not exceed. 3 Above 3 months? and not exceed- 6 ...

Above 6 months the full annual rate.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. tf 675 Hongkong, 18th August, 1869. AMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. NTIL further notice the following Annua Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, } per cent, and their contents. Other dwelling Houses, used strict- } per cent. ly as such, and their contents. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and) their contents. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company. tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

LONDON: AND PROVINCIAL MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY,

Agents in Hongkong for the above Com. Articles of Association of the Company, the General Agents. pany, are prepared to grant Marine risks at Sixth Call of Twelve Dollars and Fifty cents current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. if 471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufactur ing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships also, Ship's Building and Repairing; Barges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, PROM LOSS OR DAMAGE The Undereigned. Agents for the above Com. (20%) upon current local rates of Premia, will

pany, are prepared to grant Policies against be returned on Insurances against fire, effected FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any one First with this Office.

NORTON, LYALL & Co., GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. 25th June, 1872. Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

TR. "AD STRACK has this day been ac MI mitted a partner in our firm. DEETJEN & Co. 7d 338 . Hongkong, 1st March, 1878. A R. JAMES BRUCE is nutborised to sign It a our firm per procuration until further

TAIT & Co. 1m 273 Amoy, 11th February, 1873. AR. CARDROSS GRANT has been admitted a Partner in our firm. BRADLEY & Co. tf 1 Swatow, 1st January, 1873. A. R. F. LANGKEN and Mr. C. W. SIEGVRIED IVI have this day been admitted partners in our firm in Hongkong and China.

WM. PUSTAU & Co. 6m 2 Hongkong, let January, 1873. HAVE this day admitted Mr. J. ALABOR II partner in my firm, which will henceforth be conducted under the style of MEYER, ALABOR

ADOLPH E. MEYER. 3m 5 - Hongkong, 1st January, 1873. HE interest and responsibility of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., com- 1 ADOLF EIMBOKE in our firms at Canton Office, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 21st March, in this port, will be responsible for any debts prising WARDROBES, CHEST of DRAW- and Hongkong, ceased on the 31st December, at three o'clock P.M., for the purpose of re-ERS. Marble-ton WASHSTANDS, TABLES, 1872. CHAIRS, BEDSTEADS, COUCHES,

CARLOWITZ & Co.

3m 9 Hongkong, 1st January, 1873. MR. HERMANN STOLTERFOHT has been anthorized to sign our firm. tf 11 Hangkong, 1st January, 1873.

HE laterest and responsibility of Mr. U. R. HEERMANN in our firm ceases from this OHS. J. GAUPP & Co. tf 12 Hongkong, 31st December, 1872. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. H. H.

L. WARDEN and Mr. DAVID KING, Jr., in our firm caused in the 31st December last. Mr. E. W. STEVENS is admitted a partner from this date. RUSSELL & Co. 3m 14 China, 1st January, 1873.

NOTICE. THE interest of Mr. H. L. NOBONHA, in the Printing Establishment of the Undersigned, ceased on the 30th of September last. Mr. D. NOBONHA, Senior, has re-assumed the managing business of the office. NORONHA & SONS. 8m 2240 Hongkong, 24th December, 1872.

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

THE SHIPPING-BUILDING YARD OF Hill, to No. 44, Queen's Road Central. THE UNDERSIGNED, DMIRABLY situated on the Beach to the A East of the Foreign Concession, Kobs, and furnished with an extensive supply, of every requisite for the carrying on of a Shipweight's Business, together with surplus Plant and Tools, Blacksmith's Forges, Tools, &c., &c.

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tf 40 Hongkong, 16th October, 1872. NOTICE.

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Agents, Royal Insurance Company. tf. 1763 Hongkong, 18th September, 1869. INDO-CHINESE SUGAR COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHABEHOLDERS.

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per share is payable on the 31st December current, at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-ING CORPORATION. Interest at the rate of Twelve por cent. per annum will be charged on all calls paid after A. NOEL BLAKEMAN,

Secretary. 2166 Hongkong, 10th December, 1872. QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Intimations. NAVAL CONTRACTS, 1873-74.

CEALED TENDERS, in duplicate, will be received by the Undersigned at or before Noon on SATURDAY, the 15th instant, from persons desirons of supplying the following Articles for the use of the Naval Department for the year 1873-7-1, viz. ;-Fresh Beef. Raisins,

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H. M.'s Naval Yard, 124 458 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1873. "UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is bereby given, that the Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of the Shareholders of this Society will be held at its Head ceiving the Report of the Directors, together From this day Mr. OTTO BENECKE becomes with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December,

The Transfer Books of the Society will be days inclusive. By order of the Board,

21d 346 Hongkong, 1st March, 1873. THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

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-NORTON, LYALL & Co.,-Agents the Queen Insurance Company. tf 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

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MUTTUE TAROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD insurances. viz:--Not exceeding Ten days & of the annual rates Not exceeding 1 month 2 do. do. Above 1 month, and not exceeding three months.

Above 3 months, and not } exceeding six months Above six months the full annual rate. JARDINE, MAPHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. tf 678. Hongkong, 26th August 1869. CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,

(LIMITED). · NOTICE.

TN conformity with the Special Resolutions

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HERBERT S. MORRIS, Secretary. tf 327 Shanghai, 26th February, 1873. WANTED.

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NOTICE.

tination, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 5 P.M. THIS EVENING, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the andersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after FRIDAY,

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GILMAN & Co., 7d 333 Hongkong, 27th February, 1873. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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Hongkong, March 5rn, 1873.

A somewhar elaborate paper upon the Coolie Convention of 1866 was concluded in the last number of the China Review, and is so much attention. The paper, however, is somewhat disappointing, inasmuch as it offers no remedy for the defects in the emigration convention, which it so severely criticises. If principles of abstract justice might carry out the torms of the contract. because contracts of this kind are generally meacing any further actions. an attempt to take advantage of the temporary distress of the persons to be employed, in order to obtain their services at a lower for a postponement, which was allowed. rate than the market value. Practically, however, it is often found expedient to depart from rules of abstract justice and theo for the plaintiff, and Mr. Stephens for the de- as follows: retic perfection, when devising means to fendant. meet a pressing need. Without venturing to decide whether the want of labourers in Demerara, Cuba, and Peru is such as to justify those countries in having recourse to such an objectionable mode of obtaining coolies as contract emigration, we should -imagine it to be the interest of those countries to make a temporary sacrifice commensurate with the advantages they hope to obtain, in order to do away with the difficulties now met in obtaining coolies in a legitimate manner.

These difficulties, as far as China is conthough often unfounded, suspicions of the ing to pay the rent be had been paying before he paid the money. has forwarded a letter of thanks to His Ercel- alone be done with real satisfaction to them. have arisen from the unserupulous conduct ant out. It was by the merest chance that they and got one from the Cheong-ty chandler's shop, degree, and was then put off again. On the let March The law against smoking in the streets. gration, and from the fact that so faw emigrants have returned to China. With regard to the first point, the British Government at least has striven hard to prevent the conduct of Emigration Agents destroying native confidence in our good faith. With regard to the second point, unfortunately none of the countries wanting Chinese labourers have shown any disposition to facilitate the return of coolies who may have become dis- the agreement, in fact, was in writing. As it bring forward, and I shall produce the girl, and the Dispersion of Darkness." The character abled, or whose contracts have expired. . The second difficulty is that the ruling

classes in China have a mistaken, but hardly unreasonable, dread of allowing their country to be drained of its able bodied men; while Kwei-chow and other Provinces are lying waste for want of hands to till them. If. however, the first difficulty were overcome, experience would no doubt show the second difficulty to be more imaginary than real and we cannot but think that, were the countries in need of Chinese emigrants to charter a vessel to go to and fro between the place where the labourers are wanted, and where they are supplied, and were to send to their homes a sufficiently large number of Chinese after a few years, no more diffigulty would be found in obtaining Chinese labourers in those countries than is found in San Francisco, Singapore, Penang, Australia, and other places, as the emigrants who made a little money would soon induce their

"THE OHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY" The freighting of the vessel would form subsidy to the emigration receipts, but after a time, if the labourers were well treated, the probability is that the passenger traffic would pay the expenses of the vessel-to and fro.

The above hints are thrown out as one way in which a fair and legitimate coolie traffic could be established. The chief point to settle is undoubtedly to give security for the return of the emigrants; and it is obvious that the countries requiring coolie labour are above all others interested in settling the matter upon a basis which will satisfy the Chinese of fair play. In exact propertion to the security which is given to the emigrants that they will be fairly treated, will be the numbers who will be willing to emigrate; and the greater the number willing Clinton, William Burman, Hermann Carrille, to go, the larger will be the quantity of labor available in the labour-wanting coun-FOREIGN SETTLEMENTS OF tries, and the greater the development of their resources and wealth.

> The U.S. corvette Lackawanna arrived yes. terday from Manila, bearing the flag of Rear Admiral Jenkins.

The steamers Flintshire, Glonlyon, and Priam arrived at Shanghai on the 3rd instant, and the steamer China left that day.

The result of the third opium sale at Calcutta, on the 3rd instant, was: Potna averaged Rs. 1,363; Benares, Rs. 1,222.

LATE TELEGRAMS

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." London, 1st March, 1873.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

The conscription has been abolished in Spain. and voluntary enlistment substituted. RUSSIA AND KHIVA. concentrating.

There is a fresh crisis at Versailles. After s great speech, M. Gambetta denounced the proposals of the Committee of Thirty. The debate was adjourned to enable M. Thiers to explicitly verlare whether the Bill means a Republic or a jarms, and it took three Sinks to get him to the

Monarchy. In debuting the Army Estimates, the Com- duty. mittee rejected a motion to reduce the Army 10,000,

SUMMARY JURISPHOTION COURT. BEFORE THE HON. H. J. BALL. W. W. BONNETT v. M. HULSHOF. \$200.00. -In this case, which was heard on the last Court day, his Honor decided that the payment order to hand him over to the master's care. made to the absconding shroff was good as against the plaintiff, since it was made in the ordinary course of business. Judgment would

C. L. Theyrnin v. G Dubost .- \$300.00 .-Mr. Thomas was for the plaintiff, and Mr. Wotton for the defendant. Judgment was given upon the award of the arbitrator, for \$285.27 and costs.

therefore, be for the defendant.

SHEUM SINGH v. H. RODRIGUES .- \$50.00 .-Defendant did not appear. The action was for an instalment due upon a promissery note put him off, but before he got near her be ob-Judgment for the plaintiff.

This was a similar case to the last. Judgment | the ship, and finding they did not pull fast for the plaintiff.

KWOK-A-CHOP v. J. INGLIS. -\$20,00 .- This At Manila, on the 11th February, 1873, the was a claim for damages for a collision bewife of S. J. Morris, Esq., of a daughter. [360] tween defendant's steam launch and plaintiff's and struck her in the face, making her nose At Hongkong, on the Srd instant, the wife of sampan. The collision occurred on Wednesday | bleed. He knew nothing of her carriags. [36] at about 8 p.m., as the launch was returning from westward up the steamer fairway, the the evidence of complainant. sampan, according to the defendant's case, crossing the bows of the launch. No claim for into his custody by complainant, charged with the Italian Consul, will act as Charge d'Affaires. damage was presented, till on Friday the de- assaulting her and tearing her clothes, but nofendant received the summons.

In answer to the Court, Mr. Inglis said he been lost. was willing now to pay the amount claimed. costs were allowed, as the plaintiff had not made | done to clothing. application for the settlement of the claim before bringing the case into Court.

E. NOGEL AND OTHERS v. SUN-SHING. \$428.95 -- Defendant paid into Court \$318.25, the amount claimed for goods sold and delivered. subject of Chinese emigration is attracting having been sold on two months' credit, and at Messre, McDonald's allp, West Point, was ther it is to be in Kloto or Yedo, but we believe unnecessary to our present purpose and only been taken on the ground that the existence, deficiency of preponderating power payment having been postponed from time to charged by the Chinese watchman, named the latter. Commissioners have been appoint-

time till it was nine months overdue. torney from Mr. Vogel, one of the plaintiffs, and stated that Mr. Vogel had a power of attorney from the other partners.

were generally carried out, there would be torney did not appear to authorise him to sue on behalf of the other partners. However, as ground. He recommended Mr. Schneider to carry them back, and he would have a card on look to his power of attorney before com- his back setting forth the crime:

> LEE-A-YEONG U. LEE-THE AND ANOTHER. \$373.81.—Mr. Wotton, for the plaintiff, applied

C. R. FREEERS AND ANOTHER S. T. H

Mr. Thomas stated that the claim was for woman, and resides in Canton. On the 14th damages for use and occupation against a February her adopted daughter, named Soo-ahtenant holding over. The plaintiffs had a lease foon, came to her and told her that her servant, of certain premises on the Praya, expiring on | named Chun-toong-hee, 17 years of age, wanted the Slet January last. Eight months previous. a busband, and asked her to lake her to Hongly they had subjet a portion of the premises to kong to sell her as a servant or as a concubine. the defendant at \$60 a month, giving him notice | Accordingly site brought ther to Hougkong, laws based on the European models, suitable to | is approaching for the revision of the Treaties, | cession in its relations with the public. that the lease terminated on the 31st January. and engaged the services of anold woman, named On the 31st December plaintiffs further gave the Wing-a-fook, to act as go between, and she pro- think their provise is very reasonable. defendant notice to quit. Defendant, in reply, duced the defendant, who said he was a trader. admitted the notice, but said he could not get und wanted to purchase the girl to be his ser- throughout the whole empire, seems to be very willing, but sarious, to throw the country open, subject. It is the more interesting, as it also carried in a greater

that the notice was waived. Morcover, the \$80. This sum she eventually consented to In order to mark his appreciation of the acplaintiffs had now got a fresh lease on more take. He then said the girl was to be sent tion taken by the Japanese authorities in the cerned, are two-fold. First, the dreadful, advantageous terms. The defendant was will- to his house, that he might see whether she case of the Maria Lus, the Emperor of China Chinese Government and people as to the obliged to go back from more suitable premises come next day for money : she went, and was put and has, it is said, intimated his intention, subfate of former emigrants. These suspicions to these, because they could not get the defend- off, by his asking her to find security that the girl ject to the approval of the Mikado, of confer-

it transpired that the agreement with the de- defendant's bouse, back of the Sing-ping theatre, endeavour to extend its operation to foreigners. tianity were in force or even exhibited. The been approved by the Sultan, an Imperial Firfendant was contained in certain letters, one of with Kum-tai, and saw defendant's mother At Awa, a foreigner engaged by the Ken, was Japanese have writhed under the reflections man would have duly notified it to the public. which was produced, and was unstamped.

was not stamped the plaintiff must be nonsuit-

TAI-TEZE-CHAN v. LEE A-POO.

with the Hon. Mr. Alexander. CHU-A CHOW v. J. GLEIG .- \$21.60 .- The when the defendant got hold of her, and said : action was brought against the purser of a "Now you know the bargain we have unde and

His Honor said that did not prove that he was | back." A Chinese constable, who was in the street, | Foreign Enlistment Act in connection with the not entitled to be paid. The plaintiff, however, seeing a crowd collect, came to the scene, and shipping of Irishmen to the Continent to serve had used the wrong person. He should have she gave defendant into custody. gone against the person who actually employed | After the evidence of Inspector Gray, and war, are believed to have received a notification him, or against the P. & O. Company. If the other witnesses for the prosecution, defend. from the Solicitor to the Treasury to the effect

this objection if the money was really due. Plaintiff was nonsuited accordingly, but his of being deported from the colony. Honor asked the defondant to represent the matter at the P. & O. office, so that the morits of the claim might be investigated.

MARINE MAGISTRATE'S COURT BEFORE H. G. THOMSETT, Esq., R.N.

James Robert Rennie, master of the British bark Avon, obarged one of his scamen, named John Hardman, with refusal of duty on board on the 4th instant. Defendant, who said he was sick, but had not seen a doctor, was sent to seven days' hard

THE AYON."

THE " AVON" AGAIN. Edward Garner, chief officer of the British bark Avon, charged six seamen of that bark, named Charles Ellot, A. G. Johannes, Peter and Henry Meyers, with refusal of duty on the

Complainant stated that the defendants were on the articles, and they had been on shore to see a magistrate. On coming on board they went forward; he went to them and told them to turn to, and they refused to

Capt. Thomsett, to defendants .- When you came before me, I told you to go on board and turn to, and you refused, did you not? Defendants; one and all.—Yes. Ten days' hard labor.

POLICE. INTELLIGENCE BEFORE F. W. MITCHELL, Esq.

to insunity, or otherwise pretending so, was charged by Mr. Rodrigues, Portuguese usher brought crimes to light. compound at 4 p.m. of the 3rd instant. Complainant stated that defendant was the with assaulting him and stealing his purse;

in the present, remained about the court, The Russian expedition against Khiva is mounting up in the unoccupied witness-box and home to his native place, and spent \$10 penberg and to change oil-General of the Var did not disapprove this passing in and out of the office, exhibiting to prevent himself from being killed. The But never more truly was the blood of the plates if she had not thought it pertinent to measure. The Government, however, did not characters, and loudly exclaiming their pur defendant's adopted mother he believed gave martyrs the seed of the Chareb than in this the manly part which she had assumed to wor- think it right to tolerate this principle, and the port, to the great annoyance of those in the Court. Complainant then attempted to put when he demanded the one tuel, gave no reason stamped out Christianity as an active force in being too frequent, and possibly too strong, she that as the water in question could not be dishim out of the compound, when he struggled why he demanded it, nor did he say who he society, they could not destroy the vitality of was deposed from the position of waiter, when tinguiabled from ordinary water, to levy duty with him, and struck him on the breast and was. Has been in the colony four years, charge-room, where he struck the constable on

> Defendant said Mr. Rodrigues assaulted on him. bion, and stole his purse. Mr. Mitchell observed that was the exact charge he made against another man yesterday, and it being concluded that defendant was insane, his case was remanded to find the Sungty-les junk, to which he said he belonged, in

ASSAULT. A boatwoman named Wong-a chune, charged a scaman, named Z. Farrell, belonging to the Peruvian ship Luisa Canovaro, with assault ing her in her boat, causing her to bleed, and to lose her silver earrings, because he could not reach his ship,

AMEER BUX 1. H. RODRIGUES .- \$150.00 .- more if they would pull fast enough to catch was further remanded till this day. enough, drunk as he was, be volunteered to pull himself, but complaining would not give up the oar. He then attempted to force it from her. and in doing so the handle of the our flew back

Defendant was fined \$1, and ordered to make !

Judgment was for \$20 accordingly, but no amends to complainant 75 cents, for damage on the 4th January, on the N. E. coust of the Gazette published a new edict, characterising since July last, there is one which the Porte but the difficulties of the question are really CUTTING EARTH. Two coolies, named A-coon and Chun-a-sing, foreign-owned charged by P.C. 658 with cutting away earth

> the city, were fined 50 o'nte each. PETTY THEFT.

on his attempt to go out of the gate. His Worship told defendant that these cases ner possible; and the Government is quite prewere getting so unmerous at Messra. McDonald's pared to make it a creditable and thoroughly abolition of the old offensive edicts, and what pany does not hereby render itself liable to not be suffered to distort them. His Honor said Mr. Schneider's power of at- slip, and at the Kowloon Dock, that he would national and international affair. be compelled to deal with them in future severely. He would send him to 10 days' hard labor, Charge d'Affairee, has communicated to the insuperable obstacles to contract emigration, there was no agreement to pay interest, he and he was to carry the stocks to the scene and Minister of Foreign Affairs a dispatch which no matter how faithfully the employers should give judgment for the defendant on that there be placed in them for one hour, and then he has received from Lord Granville, stating

BEFORE THE HON. C. MAY.

A man who gave himself out to be a trader, named Mak-a-poey, but who actually was an

in the Holworthy and Showkewan murders, was Mr. Stephens said there was evidence to show to make a bargain, and finally concluded to give of these guardians of the public security. was necessary, and he did not put in the letter I shall not give up your girl either, as I am town.

Hospital," and said she would give him \$20 to chiefly appeals. bush up the matter. He said money was no Game certificates are now issued in Japan to

she got hold of ber, and was leading her out, prohibited.

recommended to H.E. the Governor with a view

dangerous character, having been an informant the Empire of many edicts which the progress this. We shall not deny that much noble effort ment and the Company shall be likewise against innocent persons in 1868, charging of events has superseded, and amongst others is expended on this cause, and that by it great referred to the local tribunals, and decided in them with murder. Inspector Gray stated that of the offensive Edicts against Christianity, things have been done. We have ever acknow- accordance with the laws of the country. the defendant was most dangerous, having which have defaced them for the past two hun- ledged this, not only with frankness, but with "It was in consequence of this Article that assumed a fearful authority over the lower dred and fifty years, will be received throughout unaffected admiration and homage. But the as soon as we had cognizance of the judgment classes, who were in great dread of him. The Ohristendom with profound satisfaction. It want of all real unity of action among the delivered by the Commercial Tribunal of the Compliadore of Messrs A. Heard & Co., director implies an important step towards the granting Missionary bodies; the extremely poor quality Seine in the suit instituted by the Messageries of the Chinese Hospital, said defendant had no of a measure of entire toleration to the Christian of the material they rely on for prosecu- Maritimes against the Suez Canal Company, connection with the establishment. More religion throughout Japan, and an immunity ting their work; the absence from much of their we did not hesitate to protest, not only on the over, he was not known there. The establish- from persecution or any danger of it to the action of sound common worldly sense and ground of the incompetency of that tribunal to ment employed no detective, and never gave converts to our faith. So rapid of late has liberal views;—all this things should be taken interpret the act of concession—as M. do Lesrewards for the delivery of kidnapped girls. been the march of events, and so powerfully into thoughtful consideration, and vigorous, seps pretends—but also, and mainly, on the But the establishment afforded refuge to have the min's of the Mission new abroad been fearless measures employed to correct them. kidnapped girls sent there by the Government. affected by contact with the mind of Europe, The wisdom of this world is not interdicted to cept the jurisdiction of the French tribunal Defendant said he intended to buy the girl to that a measure pronounced by sagucious native | the children of light. The Church of England | without violating the firmun granting the con-

trary, it was offered to bim. Another charge was then preferred against as a necessary step forbidding further delay. lefendant by Inspector Grimes, who stated We have so often and so earnestly pleaded that on the 1st of November last a man named | this cause to the Government on the double Chung-how came to the charge-room, and laid grounds of its political necessity and its bearcomplaint, in reference to defendant and ing on the advancement and welfare of this issued, but on executing it, he found the defen- going action affords us. This does not appear this person sometimes to be called J. F. Golde- with third parties. The rights of the Imperial dant had gone to Macao, and did not see him till to us so much a mere concession to external borough, obcasionally Charles Swith, and then Government are too well founded to be chaken the 3rd instant, in the Police Court. The pressure, as a recognition of the fact that the again Mr. Frank Belden. Prisoner was comaway. The brother be cannot find now. Has tions-for of Christianity it can know nothing, loons with the air of one, accustomed to those jurisdiction might cause the public to take false known defendant four years; knew him to be an -is completely changed. Confidence, sym- garments. It turned out, however, that J. F. steps, and serious inconvenience might ensue. pingshan infested with public informers, and baughty unconcern. If the name of foreigner that she has run such a career, during her 25 Minister for Foreign Affairs of France, and to that he gots his living dishonestly.

A man named Ho-poon-sow, with a tendency good case he has brought forward to show that by the rapid spread of the faith in earlier times, clothes and to employ a tailor. Making proinsanity, or otherwise pretending so, was during his service as a public informer he has of the unscrupalous purposes to which some of gress in her masculine cureer, she became burof the Police Court, with assaulting him in the Defendant said that three years back he ap- of blood, which attended its ultimate extirps | various sorts to the thirsty of Columbus, who A common murchand de liqueurs attempted to

complainant in a case before his Worship on last he laid an information in the Police court, voted lives of Xavier and his immediate fol- Pursuing the manly scheme of life which she demued this publican in a pastoral. Then the the 3rd instant, in which he charged a man in connection with defendant. Defendant de. lowers, their burning zeal and bright exam- had marked out for herself, she stole 400 dols. town connection with defendant, a town situated manded a tael of silver, and because witness ples, are all forgotten, and that no record of the spirit-seller's money and (still pantaloon- at a bundted leagues from the miraculous foun-He was nonsuited, and his case finished at 2 would not pay it, defendant and several others remains of the great movement of the six- cd) launched upon a wider and more dangerous thin, decided that the water of Louidee should pm. Complainant in that case, and defendant beat him about his person with irons. He did teenth century but that which tells of the sea of enterprise. In Cincinnati, Mons. Mary pay the same dues as the mineral waters of not assist the Police to arrest him as he went massucres which stained the rocks of Pap: was waiter in a saloun, where she might have Vals and Saint Galmier, and the Radical Counhim the \$10 sent by defendant. Defendant, country. Though these frightful persecutions ship at the shrine of Basebus. Her libations Administration of indirect taxation observed

bably he had given complainant's brother into oustedy, and he now tried to have his revenue | who refused to bow the knee to Baal, and whom | Kitty O'Neal, to whom she pledged undying on another ground—to wit, that it was not After other evidence corroborative of com-

plajnant's statement, defendant was in this case further sentenced to one month's bard labor. THE BENDITION CASE.

on again yesterday, but no evidence was given, ercised their faith without drawing on them- coerce the flery chargers. Upon some steam- actual decrease of the population in a quinthe whole of the day, but a Chinese dispatch | the lapse of time a natural tendency to sym- she gave great satisfaction, until the rosy god esting, because it is one to which statisticians was translated into English, from which it ap- pathetic association brought them more and once more misled her. All this time she was have been looking forward as the natural result pears that one U-chin-min complained against | more together, and strengthened them in just as manly as she could possibly be. She of the influences indicated by former returns. one U-ki-yan as a bully of the place, in that he transmitting through successive generations smoked the fragrant weed. With a boldness Altogether the loss of population to France in instigated U-shai-chung and others to make an the faith for which the fathers of these little which excites ustonishment; she also musticated five years is 1,965,173, but deducting 1,598,238 attack on the complainant's house, which crime communities had suffered so much. All out- the same. No young gentleman could take for the loss of Alsace and Lorraine there re-Defendant said that on the 3rd inst, he was they committed, and six men, amongst whom | ward signs by which the existence of the perpendicular drinks at the bar with greater mains a loss of 336,935 to be accounted for by on shore, and his ship was bound to Macao, was the complainant's son, were killed, and the faith could still be inferred were repressed by frequency and elegance. So went on our other onuses. The report includes the war He saw from the shore that sail was set on murderers fled to Macao. The Governor-General the Government, and the prisons of Nagasaki epicine, imbibing, smoking, shewing, among these causes, and by some this may his ship, and that they were heaving up the of Canton was memorislised, and Viscount S. alone afforded any evidence that the fire which and making love with just as much audacious be thought the only cause worth considering, anchor. He procured the complainant's Januario, Governor of Macao, was communi- had spread so rapidly in the empire when first impudence as if her name had properly been but the war will not account for everyboat, and agreed to pay 25 cents to cated with. Persons to identify the parties kindled still smouldered in its ashes. It need John or Sam instead of Mary. But we are thing. According to the best calculation, were sent. Meanwhile, the defendant got to hardly be said that these poor people had con- obliged to record that this talented damsel the less of life in Paris during the seige was served the anchor was away, and his ship was Hongkong, and was picked out here through served little more of the religion of their fore. tempted fate once too often, and that is why under 100,000, and the seige of Paris was far heading round. He then promised 25 cents the Hor-foong Magistrate's action. The case futhers than the name of Christians, the sign she is now in Columbus good. The kind con- more destructive to life than the entire fight-

YOKOHAMA.

formerly issued against Christianity. Count Fe d'Ostiani, the Italian Minister and doyen of the diplomatic body, left by the English mail steamer for Europe, on leave of Another woman in the boat corroborated absence, Count de Litta, who has been appointed First Secretary, taking his place. Until Count P.C. 571, declared, stated defendant was given de Litta arrives, however, Count de Barrillis, The Japan Mail states that the Japanese Court, will also be accredited to the Vatican.

from a prohibited spot at the Western part of the following interesting items :-Universal Exhibition in Japan, in four years A carponter named Wong-a-yew, employed from this time. As yet we are not clear whe- sent reign, and shall pass over as alike Maritimes Company, yet this exception has gard to the higher ends of national and State Low-n-sow, with stealing 11b. of copper nails, ed in connection with the Vienna Exhibition, different times by the Representatives of and interpret the firman of the concession fit. The social and industrial advantages or Mr. J. Sohnei er produced a power of at- baving them in his bamboo but when searched whose special duty it is to study the exact way the Treaty Powers on behalf of the native of the Canal which emanated from His disadvantages of a stationary or slowly decline of carrying out such a scheme in the best man. | Christians. It may be more pertinent here to | Majesty the Sultan. M. de L'esseps takes good ing population deserve, at any rate to be separ-

> that "Sir John Coleridge and the other law of representations made to the Japanese Govern- be treated as French and not us Egyptian. A ficers of the English Crown are entirely of ment of the impossibility of any real cordiality simple reference to the firman of the concession opinion that all the proceedings of the Japanese existing between itself and the Christian powers of the Canal above that a more preposterous Government in the case of the Maria Laz, were so long as these persecutions were continued, or claim has never been raised before. The firustifiable and right."

Will Adams never dreamed in his wildest mo. one and abolishing the other. The Japanese arising between it and third parties in Egypt. ex-informer of Mr. D. R. Caldwell's, a celebrity media of Japanese wearing "stove-pipe" hats desire above all things at this moment to It is hardly necessary to add that if the and Chinamen performing on bicycles. Both stand well in the eyes of Europe, a matter Company is for the purposes of jurisdiction O'FLAHERTY. -\$287.80 .- Mr. Thomas appeared | charged by an old woman named Chun-a-fook, are, however, now familiar to Yokohama, though | in which their pride, their vanity, and their to be treated as French, not only will John selects a time when the street is usually interests are alike concerned. They not only the ultimate decision of all questions for Chun-s-fook, declared, stated she is a married deserted for taking recreation on his itinerary desire the goodwill of European nations, which it may be sued rest in the hands of a land public security in France. I found the Em-

It has been determined to throw the whole to forsake their old policy of seclusion and iso. but the Canal will virtually cease to be Turkish | completely mistress of herself, full of good country open to foreigners, provided all who lation. They see that by a liberal admission and become French. No wonder, therefore, travel in the interior aubmit to be controlled and encouragement of the spirit of foreign en- that the Porte should immediately and perby the laws of Japan. The Government is as- terprise and foreign capital, the interests of emptorily have intimated to the Company to decisive in the destinies of the Imperial family. siduously endeavouring to perfect a code of this country can be best promoted. The time comply with the terms of the firman of conthis country; and if this be accomplished, we said on the conditions they can make with us

other premises. In consequence of his remain- vant or concubine. She told him her price was popular. The country newspapers mention. ing, the plaintiffe had had to pay the whole rent | \$100, but he offered only \$70, and as they could from time to time, the names of merchants, ex for February, although they had themselves re- not come to terms he went away. On the 26th officers, etc., who have voluntarily subscribed which their old policy constantly give rise. Sucz Canal Company and the shipping of all of France herself, rests on that young head. he came again and entered into arrangements sums of from 25 to 2,500 years for the support They wish to join the great European family of nations, in consequence of the change effected had the bonner of conversing for a long time Mr. Thomas said the plaintiffs had been This accordingly was done, and she was told to lency Oye Tak, the Governor of Kanagawa; selves?

and was then put off again. On the let March The law against smoking in the streets, view this with any satisfaction is the retention the Sublime Porte has sanotioned such a perhaps, reserves for him, and he contemplates His Honor auggested that it was a case for a man named Kum-tal and an old woman came which has been recently promulgated,—ap. of this jurisdiction in their own hands. This is change; others refer to the jurisdiction to them in a manner which enchanted me, when, settlement, but as this was not acted upon, the to bergand told her the defendant did not in- parently in imitation of the Russian ukase,— their most cherished hope at this moment. It is which the Company is amenable. vidence was gone into.

tend paying her, but was going to take the girl appears to be rigorously enforced in the interior, clear that such a matter could not even be and asked. Well, Monseigneur, are you ready and the the new mode of levying the Canal dues and asked. Well, Monseigneur, are you ready and the new mode of levying the Canal dues and asked. Well, Monseigneur, are you ready and the new mode of levying the Canal dues and asked. and wife, and defendant was sent for, called upon by the authorities, informed of the made on their anti-Christian policy, and the The truth is that the Imperial Government has sort of besitation. In a word, the Prince is re-In reply to his Honor, Mr. Thomas said it and when he came in, he said, "Ab, I edict, and requested when he went for a ramble conviction that all Europe was made acquainted, resolved to seek first to arrive at a undershall not only not give you any money, to keep his eight until be got outside the through the medium of the Press, with the in- standing with the other Powers on an unifica-

His Honor said that made no difference, since I am offered \$20 for every kidnapping case I is now published in Yedo, by "The society for She then said, "Do not take my girl to the read by the middle class of Japan, to whom it

NAM-CHEW-LEE AND OTHERS v. LEE-A-POO. object to him, it was not money be wanted; natives, a ".professional hunter" paying a tax These were interpleader summonses served however, she told him she was poor, and could of one dollar, and a sportsman one of ten dollars. on the plaintiff in the case of Lee-a-foo v. Yip- not givehim more. He then said he would see his The rules issued differ from those in use in a-fook, judgment having been given against partner about it, and he would let her know the Europe, inasmuch as they prohibit the issue of Yip-u-look. Mr. Wotton appeared for Lee-a- next day. Next day he came and said his part. licences to people unacquainted with the use of poo, and stated that Yip-a-fook had filed his ner would not consent to take one cent sporting guns, or are idiotic or mad, or otherpetition in bankraptoy, and he would be glad of less than \$30. She again pleaded poverty; wise incapable. They forbid abouting in all an adjournment to enable him to communicate h wever, an agreement was come to for him to places where there is danger of injury to human with the Official Assignee, who might wish to take \$20, and she went to fetch it, and when beings, or to crops, limit the season from lat she returned he would not let the girl go for December to the middle of March, and forbid His Honor adjourned the cases, suggesting \$20, and said he must first see his partner. She | the use of stupefying bait or drugs for birds or that all parties should be told to communicate got tired of these excuses, and said she would beasts. Fish, which are psouliarly susceptible have no more of them and would take the girl; to drugging, are omitted, nor is bird-liming

P, and O, steamer, for work done while she was the arrangements. "Ory out 'save life." The of Philadelphia tocomotives. not know the man; he came to be paid after was very willing to go; she led her into the whom a charge has been pending since 1871 in street, where the defendant tried to force her the Court of Queen's Bench, of breach of the in the French ranks during the Franco-German defendant-insisted on it, he must nonsuit the ant wassentenced to three months' bard labor, that notic prosequi has been entered in the friends and relatives to follow their example. plaintiff on this ground; but be did not think and ordered to find security in two flower case by order of the Attorney-Generali

the P. & O. Company would be inclined to take holders, \$250 each for 32 months, and to be THE CHRISTIAN QUESTION IN JAPAN. | ning. A long experience in the East has con- Company and third parties shall be, whatever

and Grimes, the defendant appears to be a most the removal from the Edict-boards throughout the public is more lamentably deluded than on . "Suits arising between the Egyptian Govern make a prostitute of her, but denied that he statesmen to have been dangerous, if hot has much of this wisdom among her members, cession. ever demanded any hush-money. On the con- impossible, eighteen months ago, has been and we look earnestly to her to display some of recognized us not only wise at this moment, but it here.

> which it was invariably associated. The revolloss. Gradually omerging from their hiding trie Mary essayed other achievements of genius.

the northern provinces. It was but to be expected that when the remain in the cloistor. country was opened to foreign intercourse this smouldering are shou'd again revive, and nocordingly the Government lound, or thought it necessary, to take fresh measures to extinguish it. In the middle of the year 1867 the renewthing was said about a pair of carrings having Minister who is to be accredited to the Italian | ed persecutions began, and on the assumption of the rains of Government by the Mikado very the Bucz Canal Company with a view to justify disposition will be to assume that the decline The schooner Khankai was totally wrecked severe measures were adopted. The Kioto the change of the toll which it has effected in population is a misfortune, and not a good; Island of Yezo. She latterly carried the Obristlanity as "an infamous religion," and bas naturally most resented. It is a letter very great. Politically, if preponderating mi-Japanese flag, but is believed to have been offering rewards to all who should denounce a which the President of the Company addressed litary power is an advantage to France, the

ask what are the immediate causes for the care to inform Count Remasat that the Com- ately treated, and political considerations about steps should be taken by Obristians at home to Egyptian jurisdiction, nor intend to reject the We learn that Mr. Watson, H.B.M.'s secure to this country the full benefit of that French jurisdiction it has accepted in its measure of toleration just conceded by the differences with third parties generally. In

Government. these offensive edicts remained standing, have man, indeed, distinctly states that the Company Progress is decidedly the order of the day. beeen mainly instrumental in stopping the is amenable to Egyptian jurisdiction in all suits but to trend in their path. They wish European nation to the exclusion of all others, the immediate progress of the country will large- chief of the Turkish Foreign Office has address-The police system, now being extended by depend. It is certain that they are not only. ed to the Sultan's Ambassador at Paris on the man is the Empress. But my anxious They see a clear advantage in doing so, and contains an official statement of the present degree towards the Prince Imperial, as the dislike the reflections on their backwardness to stage of the question now pending between the whole future of the dynasty, and perhaps pations and to leave to other Asiatics the po- in the tolls of the Canal: licy of seclusion, distrust, and isolation. But "Khalil Sherif Pacha to Server Pacha, Hi what must be the first step towards opening the country, and on what conditions could it

> The first step assuredly would be the settle- has been drawn to certain recent publications ment of the question of jurisdiction over such Government. How far this action will prevail perial Government may take in the matter. on the Christian Powers to accord to Japan the jurisdiction over its subjects, is a matter to point out the errors contained in M. de Deswhich we must leave at this moment, though seps' letter to his Excellency Count Remusat of we shall return to it very shortly on account | the 3rd inst. on the question of jurisdiction. of its pressing importance.

will suffice for our immediate purpose. people. She is rich beyond all comparison the firman of the Sultan, sanctioning the conwith other churches; rich in this world's cession, states on the subject :-Ruesian railways are getting large numbers possessions, rich in men, and rich in bring our faith into ridicule and dissociate it | Court of Paris as umpired from all that is truly noble and lofty and win- "Differences arising in Egypt between the to their amusement."

vinced us that a radical reform in the whole the nationality of the latter may be, tried by of being deported from the colony.

The announcement elsewhere made that or machinery of Missionary economy is absolutely the local tribunals in the form established by the from the evidence of Inspectors Gray ders have been issued by the Government for necessary, and that there is no subject on which the laws, usages, and treaties.

EXTRAORDINARY CAREER OF A

YOUNG WOMAN. The Columbus Journal, on Ohio paper, states that recently there was consigned to the county several others entering his house. He referred country, that we shall not affect to conceal the good there a prisoner, plentcously provided with the case to the magietracy, and a warrant was deep and vivid gratification which the fore- names and surnames. It was the humour of conform to the firm and concession in its relation brother of complainant he has seen, and he attitude of the national mind towards Chris- mitted for larceny, as we shall presently see, tells him complainant has got \$10 to keep him tianity, or, at least towards the Christian na- and when received by the gacler wore pautainformer to Mr. D. R. Coldwell, and during a pathy, and a spirit of fellowship, have displaced Charles-Frank was of the softer sort of sex; murder case being investigated he kept Tui- the old sentiments of suspicion, aversion and that her true baptismal name was Mary, and was the most conspicuous one himself. Consi. was formerly repulsive to the Japanese, much years of life, as to suggest entirely new views ders the defendant to be a bad character, and more so was the designation of Christian, with of female capacity. Mary, at the age of 23, being determined to live by her wite, had the Defendant was asked to mention any one lections of troubles, political and social, caused wir, in the very lieginning, to discard her long its professors had turned it, and of the delage keeper in a saloon, and dispensed drinks of little girl said the Virgin Mary appeared to her. prehended a burglar with the property on him. tion, are not obliterated from the mind of the swallowed their beverages in stolid ignorance of sell it in bottles with his other wares, where Chung-a-how, declared, said on the lat Nov. Japanese. It may be presumed that the de- the angel who administered unto them, upon the Bishop of Tarbes interfered, and con-

such traces of it as must ever remain even after going to Cleveland, she became still more on it would raise up numerous difficulties. The Defendant said the charge was false. Pro. the most bitter persecutions. Wandering amid manly, since then she assumed the arduous role case, however, was referred to the Council of the caves and the rocks, some few yet remained of lover, and laid siege to the affections of Miss State, which has refused to sanction the duty the loss of kindred, home, and wealth only en- affection. It was a matter of course that Kitty voted for financial motives! - News of the World deared more closely to a faith which promised should be left to die of a broken heart, or to live them a thousand-fold compensation for such as she could with a damaged one; for the eccanplaces as the fury of the Government subsided, Generally she was a thief, but now and then she This case in which one Yu-a sam is charged they settled down in remote villages in the deviated (still in pantalogue) into bonest ways. with murder on the main-land of China, came southern part of the Empire, and furtively ex- Upon the Mahoning-Canal she was employed to been completed, shows for the first time an in consequence of the above cases taking up selves the observation of the Government. In boat she obtained the office of clerk, in which quennial period, and the fact is the more interof the cross, and the rite of baptism, but they ductor of a railway train from Zanesville to ing and privations of the rest of the war. Half clung to these relics with a characteristic Columbus, supposing her to be an honest gen- the above diminution of 330,000 must therefore tenacity, strengthened by the enforced obser- tleman, allowed her to sleep in a caboose car, be due to other causes than the war, and ex-The Government have withdrawn the edict vance of pagan rites. From Kiusin they and she requited this touching benevolence by challeng smallpox, which the report specially gradually spread along the shores of the In- stealing his gold chronometer—an implement mentions, as it is only one out of many immehand Sea, and some of them were even found in which no conductor can well spare. For this diate occasions of death, and does not in the the young woman will for some time to come long run alter the death-rate of a nation, we

THE SUEZ CANAL

(From a Correspondent of the Times.) CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 1. Among the publications recently made by other words, M. de Lesseps protends that for First, then, it cannot be doubted that the the purposes of jurisdiction the Company is to Subjoined is a translation of a despatch the

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 25th, 1872.

tolerance of their conduct towards the native tion of tonnage, and then to consider the quesgoing to take the girl to the Chinese Hospital; A new daily paper in the Biragans writing converts. They know that no Christian tion of the toll with a view to taking such a Power will for a moment listen to any decision as might satisfy, as much as possible, plea for the ereroise of their juris- both the interests of shipping and the requireget a reward also from the Colonial Government." this journal is printed in is that most easily diction over its subjects, unless a most distinct ments of the Canal Company. I enclose your disavowal is made of any dislike to the faith | Excellency a copy of the letter by which M. de its subjects profess. And hence, as we think, Lesseps has undertaken in the name of the the main reason for the present action of the Company to abide by the decision that the Im-

> "The despatch which I addressed to your And, now, what ought to be the action of the | Excellency on the 15th November last, and the Christian, and specially of the English Church, letters by which I have communicated a conv in regard to this notable occasion? We have thereof to M. de Lesseps, are too explicit to but space for a few words, but we hope they allow of any doubt being entertained as to the views of the Imperial Government with respect She not only ought, but must, be prepared to the jurisdiction to which the Company is to send us of her best to guide and teach these subject. The following is what Article 16 of

"It also behaves the Imperial Government

" The Maritime Suez Canal Universal Comlearning. Nor is she poor in zeal, in these pany being an Egyptian Company, is governed of the girls, nothing abushed, marched up to lying in the barbour. Defandant said he did girl did cry something, and sobbed bitterly and The solicitors of Mr. J. P. M. Donnell, against days, at least; though we have seen but by the laws and usages of the country. With the table and inquired if there were any cold scanty evidence of her ardour in this country. regard, however, to its constitution as a com- victuals. Mrs. Smith, slightly vexed at the Bather indeed, is she behind the rest of the pany, and to the relation of the shareholders impudence of the girl, replied, No, these are world and her duty here. But we will tell her among themselves, it is agreed that it shall be all hot!" The girl went out on her dignity, what is the alternative to her occupying a high governed by the laws which apply in France to and her companion, who had remained outside, place in this country as the Christian guide Sociétés Anonymes. It is agreed that all ques- seeing the basket empty, exclaimed in surprise, and tracher of these people. She will be anti- tions under this head shall be settled in France | Didn't she give you anything?" 'No ' replied cipated by a set of ignorant fanation, who will by arbitration, with an appeal to the Imperial The other, "she was easey; a remark which

ground that the Canal Company could not no Your Excellency will easily understand that

we cannot allow any one to believe that we shall ever permit the Company's withdrawing from the jurisdiction under which it is placed. by the very act which has given it its existence. Consequently, the Imperial Government has desired his Highness the Khedive of Egypt to intimate to the Company that it must strictly by the arbitrary construction contained in M. de Lesseps' late publications. But the doubt which such publications tend to raise with regard to "I have to request your Excellency to communicate this desputch to his Excellency the deliver him a copy of the same. "KHALIL SHERIF."

THE MIRACULOUS WATER.

A good deal of controversy has been going on respecting the water of Lourdes, where a

THE DECLINE OF THE POPULATION. OF FRANCE.

The new consus of France, which has just find the real reason of the diminished population of France to be the diminution in the number of marriages, and the excess of deaths over births: French population has long been stationary, or nearly so, and it is now for the moment at least on the decline. The facts will be sure to give rise to much discussion, and the to the Minister of Foreign-Affairs of France on state of the population is clearly a misfortune. The Japan Gazette of the 22nd instant gives | We have referred to these incidents for the 3rd of December last, explaining that al- | Germany has already a larger population than purpose of showing the attitude of the Govern. though the Company has declined to recognize France, and as that population increases much It is designed by the Government to hold an | ment relatively to Christianity from about the | the competency of the French Courts in the faster, France must quickly be dwarfed. But year 1650 to the early history of the pre- suit instituted against it by the Messageries it would not be easy to prove that, having reus needless repetition, the steps taken at French tribunals have no right to construct is a misfortune, and is not rather a great bene-

> THE EMPEROR NAPOLEON. M. Paul de Cassagnac, of the Pays, who lately came to England to pay his respects to the

Imperial family at Chiselhurst, publishes some details on the subject in that journal. He says : - "The French Imperial family live with extreme modesty. The income of Napoleon III. is stated not to exceed 300,000f. a year." The writer adds : - " The Emperor regards political events with his well known impassibility; deeided not to attempt anything at random; but likewise ready to profit by the first reasonable and, serious opportunity that may offer for contributing to the re-establishment of order think, to exercise an influence as adutary as through bus been severe, but it bas borne lits fruits. At present there is one man more in the Imperial House, and that without reserve, and with an almost brutal Imperial Majesty the Sultan's Ambassador [rankness; and I assure you that I am very well pleased. He is calm and energetic at the same time; there is something both of sweetness and resolution in his large blue eyes; the child bas given place to the young man, who already made by the Sucz Canal Company. Some of feels profoundly to what redoubtable destinies foreigners as may reside amongst them; and these relate to the change of the toll in the he is called. He knows, he comprehends all the main condition on which they will or could Canal, and would lead people to suppose that the trials, and vicissitudes which the future, be replied in a serious tone, and without any Providence reserves for him. He possesses, as natural cifts, an acute intelligence and a cool courage; the education given him will do the rest. "Ite is at the school of the cadets of Woolwich, where he is the object of universal deference and a general sympathy. The contact of these English characters, so practical in life, cannot but hasten the precocious development of an already exuberant nature. All this has reassured me, and caused my heart to beat with hope, for I have seen hovering over this august family, in a visible manner, the protection of that Providence which prepares beforehand the efecution of its secret designs,

> family and the weat of France." The little girls who go about with baskets and beg for cold victuals are very persistent in St. Louis, and call regularly. The Republican says..." One day when they thus called at Mrs. Smith's, guests were being entertained, but one was heard by the company at the table; greatly

in restoring health to the father, in rendering

the mother still stronger and more valiant, and

in giving to the child already the qualities of

bead and heart necessary for the glory of his

SUMMARIES OF HOME NEWS FROM THE LONDON DAILY PAPERS. (Daily Telegraph.)

ington telegram, to have "broken ground" pletely gutted. It was known that the whole of Cuba. On the 29th of October last, it is the excitement and suspense amongst the stated, he wrote a note to General Sickles, bystanders were wrought to a high pitch by the American Minister at Madrid, "decisively de- impossibility of getting in to resoue any of them. which the Indirect Claims were demonstrated trance, the firemen, made their way into the to view without concern the present condition of the saddest kind was revealed to them. of affairs, by reason of the failure of Spain te Every member of the unfortunate family was abolish slavery in Cuba. If, he says, the dead, death having been caused by suffocation. Spanish Government permits its orders to be | An attempt had been made to escape, for the habitually violated, it acknowledges inability bodies were found in different places, but the to control the insurrection; and soon the staircase being on fire, and there being no back American Government, finding it difficult to way out, the wretched victims were overtaken preserve a neutral position, will be forced to by the choking volumes of smoke before held consider a change of policy. What effect this could be brought to them. Two boxes of note may have had on General Sickles's re- jewellery had-been taken downstairs. The lutions with the Court of Madrid, or on the deceased persons are Mr. Corfield, aged about hastoning forward of the Porto Rico emancipa- 42; Mrs. Corfield, aged about 46; their four t on measureness step to American abolitionism, children, the eldest of whom is six years, and it might not be easy to say; but the tone of the youngest one month; and Mrs. Corfield's the note is certainly strong enough to imply mother, aged 85. The scene, as the bodies the possibility of prompt and sharp action if were brought out, was a most distressing one. the scandal of the chronic warfare in Cuba is The origin of the fire is unknown.—News of the is not speedily ended. Honduras, a sufficiently obscure and remote

region for most English people, is of intense interest to a comparative few who happen to have a pecuniary stake in the pasce and material prosperity of the country, and yesterday's meeting of railway bondholders, in the London a plague of ghosts. Accounts of strange ap-Tavern, was both crowded and excited. The paritions are given from all quarters. A most Commissioner for Honduras, Captain Bedford uncanny ghost has, according to the New Albany Pim, presided, and, after expressing his bitter Ledger, appeared on the trestle work of the Air disappointment that neither coupon nor draw- Line Railroad, above the Falling Run. It first ing should be at present forthcoming, he went appeared as "some one walking with slow on to give assurances that nearly all the money and stately mien to and fro, without apparent subscribed for the Interogranic Railway had mim," and all efforts to dislodge it proved unbeen expended on that enterprise by the Hon: | vailing. Missiles were harled at it, but took duras Government, and to answer a series of no effect. On one occasion it assumed the questions which had been put to him in writing form of a huge pig, and approached the furmaces by a number of bondholders. He finally pro- where the men were engaged at the Lower posed the appointment of a committee of nine, Rolling Mill, and being pursued it suddenly to investigate fully the whole material financial took the shape of a mouster dog. On another circumstances of the Horduras Railway, and occasion, when confronted by a workman this proposal, with the consequent resolutions, with a red-hot iron, it changed into a was cordially agreed to before the meeting thing-like a dragon. "With wide distend-

ceived deputations on several subjects of local peared down a well." At another time the interest. One of these was the amendment of buge pig was seen approaching the mill, when, the Scotch Poor Law, with regard to which, being chased, it took the form of a giant and while allowing full praise to the efforts of Mr. plunged headlong into the well. The latest ac-Craufurd to legislate on the subject, he admit. counts state that it has disappeared for a week, ted the force of the objection made by the de- and hopes are entertained that it will not reputation that it was properly matter for a Go-turn, but the district is still in a highly nervous verument Bill. At the same time the right state. One of the Boston papers also relates bon, gentleman could not promise, in the exist- that "a tall headless figure in white" has ing state of business, to attempt to deal with it several times appeared lately in a "once fine in the approaching session. The Home Secre- manslen" in that city, which has now become tary promised a second deputation to consider a lager beer establishment. On the last occaobjections urged against the substitution of sion. it passed through a room at midlocomotive for horse power by the tramway night where a number of persons were

sociation held its second annual meeting, which gerous ghost. A man named Chase was sitting was very numerously attended. The chairman before his fire when the ghost came, and sestproposed that Mr. Amphlett, Q.C. and M.P. ling itself beside him, said, "Those hands of should take the place of president, necessarily | yours belong to me, and I desire to burn them; vacated by Lord Selborne on his elevation to you will please put them in the fire." Chase the Woolsack. Mr. Amphiett, having been | unwillingly obeyed the command of the strange unanimously elected, made a highly satisfactory visitor, who watched him closely till his fingers and encouraging review of the progress made and a portion of his hands were consumed; and during the past year by the Association, and then bade him "Good evening," leaving the urged his companions to greater zeal in the wretched man mutilated for life. Chase has cause of legal reform—condemning the new | since been shut up in a lunatic usylum, and has educational scheme adopted by the lune of thus lost his liberty as well as his fingers. Court, not merely as inadequate in itself, but as really inferior to the old system; and declaring that no arrangement conducted under the president organisation of the luns could be sufficlent. Mr. Justice Quain, after the report had little doing; New Benares, \$580 to \$585, little been adopted, moved a resolution to this effect. doing; Old Patna, \$655 to \$660, steady, likely which was strongly supported by several speak- to a lvance; Old Benares, \$605 to \$610, steady, ers, and carried unanimously.

At a thinly-attended meeting of members of quality hard drug wanted. the Bar, convened to consider a scheme for the constitution of a benevolent society to assist and made a speech, which-the assembly being private - is not published. It is, however, understood that he warmly supported the proposal -which, it may be remembered, arose out of the and case of Mr. Haddy—and resolutions affirming the general principle of such an as- China and Japan Marine Insurance-Tls, 22 sociation, and appointing a committee, were passed.—It was further agreed that a meeting | Chinese Insurance Company. \$50 per share should be beld on the first Monday in February, to receive the committee's report.

At the Mansion House Police-court yesterday, a commercial traveller employed by Mesers. Bower and Son, fruit merchants, was convicted of embezzlement, and sentenced to a month's imprisonment. At Hammersmith, a young lady, the daughter of a surgeon, charged with various thefts for which her solicitor pleaded kieptoordered to be imprisoned for air months.

There was nothing to substantiate the suspicion which led to the arrest of a Frenchman near Guildford for the Coram-street murder, and the man was discharged. Apparently he had made a doubtful statement as to his whereabouts on Obristmas Eve, the fact being that be was in Winchester Gaol.

Monday, 13th January. Courteons and amicable in tone and terms, we learn from Washington, was the answer'returned by the Government of King Amadeus Hongkong Pier and Godown Company .- 30 to the somewhat peremptory and even bellicose note of Mr. Hamilton Fish with regard to the continuance of slavery in Cuba. The assurance that the emancipation policy entered upon by On London .the Spanish Ministers would be suforced, is, however, described as "vague;" and when we look back to the menacing terms of the American note, it is difficult not to feel some uneasiness at the uncordial manner, to say the least, in which it seems to have been received at Washington.

From Spain itself the morning's news is by no means cheering. The troops of the King On BOMBAY. -- Bank, 3 days' sight 2274 are again aux prises with insurgents on almost | On CALOUTTA, -Bank, 3 days' sight 2274 every-point of the compass. On the west, a ON SHANGHAL train coming from Portugal has been plundered by armed muranders; from Catalonia, in the north-east, there are tidings of the death of one among several Carlist leaders; in Valencia, on the southeast, a Carlist band has been thoroughly broken up, with loss of sixty men, half captured; while from several quarters vaguely indicated comes information that the Royal troops have been actively and successfully engaged. It need not be said that only a part of the truth percolates, to us through the telegraph from Spain, and real cause for anxiety | cheung to travelling trader. is shown by the fact that on Saturday, after holding a council under the presidency of the King, the Ministers assembled again and pro-

longed their deliberations to a late hour. Mr. Baron Pollock took the paths and seat as the new Judge of the Court of Exchequer on Saturday, and received the warm congratulations of his learned brethren on the bench to travelling trader.

and of the leading conusel at the bar. Mr. Forster on Saturday received at the Education Offices deputation from the London School Board, headed by Lord Lawrence and wing shing to Canton merchant. Mr. Charles Reed, M.P., who waited upon him ! to urge the expediency of introducing certain! wing-shing to travelling trader.

THE REV. HENRY WARD BE CHER. Changes into the machinery of the Education Act-ohanges which had been suggested in a It is not a very easy thing to assign to the document previously and privately presented to Rev. Henry Ward Beccher his true position. the Minister. The main drift of the proposals We know he is neither Bluddist, Mohammedan was to secure that the negligence or cupidity nor Israelite. He is a Christian. All know that of the parent should be defeated, by giving he is not a Roman Catholic. He is a Protest- more searching and stringent powers to the ant. We know that he is not an Episcopalian, Board's inspectors and visitors-who were even either Ritualistic or Low Church. He is acither to be authorised to "detain children on the Methodist nor Hard-shell Baptist. Whether streets," taking them either to their home or he is Unitarian, or Universalist, or Spiritualist, to the school, that the truth about them might or what is his especial belief, we do not know, be discovered. Other suggestions arising We hear that he is an able, zealous, carnest, out of the experience of the School Board honest mun. He has many admirers, were also offered, and advocated by various who never tire of sounding his praise. We members of the deputation. Mr. Forster, in know that he is as a palpit sensation an im. reply, while acknowledging the zeal of the mense success The newspapers report his ser. Board and the value of the suggestions made to mons interlarded with "sensation," "great sensation," "cheers," and "immenso applause." would justify any invasion of the liberty of the would justify any invasion of the liberty of the subject beyond what was absolutely necessary. lyn, and that it is called a "tabetnacle," and He regretted, also, the abstention of the Board's that crowds throng to hear him; that his con- representatives from the disputed question of gregation is rich and liberal, and that Mr. principle as to compulsion and payment of ices
Beecher partakes largely of that liberality.
Mr. Beecher—or, to be respectful, the Rev. that those subjects had been designedly left out Henry Ward Beccher-edits or has edited a of sight, because the Board differed so strongly newspaper. He writes stories for the Ledger. about them. After some further conversation, He writes novels. He married Abby Ri- in the course of which Mr. Forster maintained chardson to her murdered lover. He preaches the paront's right to a choice when there was sermons upon every startling incident of more than one efficient school within reach, the the day. He deals largely in politics. He interview terminated, the Minister promising delivers lectures. He makes stump speeches | that all the points raised should have the best

SHOCKING OCCURRENCE AT

LICHFIELD. A sad accident has happened at the old cathedral city of Lichfield. A fire was discovered on the premises of Mr. Corfield, watchmaker, situated in the Market-place, between the Three Urowns Hotel and the bouse in which Dr. Johnson was born. The local engine was quickly got to work, but the fire was so severe that a telegram was sent to Birmingham | FRENCH FLOWERS AND MILLINERY. for assistance, and two engines were desputched. Mr. Scoretary Vish appears, from a Wash- uge, but the house of Mr. Corfield was comsomewhat ominously in relation to the affairs of the family were sleeping in the house, and monetrating"-perhaps after the fashion in Assoon as it was deemed safe to make an en-

THE NEW AMERICAN TERROR-A PLAGUE OF CHOSTS. (News of the World.) America seems at present to be troubled with ed jaws it moved along on its foor great Mr. Bruce was in Glasgow yesterday, and re- claws with great rapidity, and suddenly disapassembled, and made the most frightful In Lincoln's Inn Hall, under the presidency noises. In Nevada, California, if the Echo Inof Mr. Justice Quain, the Legal Education As- dependent is to be believed, there is a truly dan-

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FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FUOCHOW. THE Stenmahin "FORMOSA." Captain Punchard, will be despatched for the labove Ports TO-MORROW, the 6th instant,

at 10 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 3d 354 Hongkong, 4th March, 1873 FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY. THE A I Olipper Ship

" MARQUIS OF ARGYLE," shortly expected from Amoy, will have quick For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. tf 355 Hongkong, 4th March, 1873. STEAM TO SHANGHAL.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamship "AVOOA." will leave for the above place about 24 hours after the arrival of the next English Mail. A. McIVER,

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 25th February, 1873. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA. THE P. & O.S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"BOMBAY" will leave for the above place shortly after the arrival of the next English Mail. A. McIVER Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hougkong, 25th February, 1873. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI, Paking Cargo and Passengers at through rates fo HANKOW, NINGPO, and PORTS in

THE Company's Steamship "AJAX" will be despatched on or about 10th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, 103 344 Hongkong, 1st March, 1873. FOR MANILA.

I'HE Spanish Burque "CANDELARIA." Barredo, Master, will have immediate despatel as abovė. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

tf 243 ... Hongkong, 1st March, 1873. FOR SAN TRANCISCO. THE A 1-British Clipper Ship "GREEN JACKET." Kogh, Master, will have early despatch as

For Freight or Passage, apply to tf 271 Hongkong, 14th February, 1873. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE new A 1 German Barque

"IPHIGENIA," 480 Tons, Capt. Quedens, having three-fourths of her Cargo engaged, will have immediate despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. tf 272 Hongkong, 14th February, 1873. FOR LONDON.

"HARWICE. By Dr. DEVAN, with many Additions, Correct Thomas Dickson, Master, will load here at greater portion of her cargo engaged, will have quick despatch: For Freight or Passage, apply to

VOGEL, HAGEDOEN & Co.

tf 166 Hongkong, 27th January, 1873. FOR HAMBURG (Direct) THE A 1 British Ship

Garrioch, Master, 780 tons Register, will load here and at Whampos, and meet with quick despatch. For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co. tf 159 Hongkong, 25th January, 1873.

FOR PURTLAND (OREGON). THE A 1 Ship "CANADIENNE." Equin. Master, having the greater portion of the Passengers and Cargo engaged, will meet with early despatch as above,

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. 1f 151 Hongkong, 23rd January, 1873. FOR PURTLAND (QREGON). THE A I American Barque

"GARIBALDI." Capt. Noyes, will have early despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to_ ROZARIO & Co. tf 142 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1873. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

"ALHAMBRA," Captain Nelson, will have early desputch as For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. tf 160 . Hongkong, 25th January, 1873.

BUURJAU & Co. tf 356 Hongkong, 4th March, 1873.

TOHN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA. Successor to Rodmond Gibbons & Co.. Sole Agents for: Winchester Repeating Arms and Ammunition, Du Pont's Blasting and Sporting Powder, Lake Superior and Pacific Fuse Company's Eagle [ly 634 April 6

WING-KEE COAL SHOP. inform the Public that his Shop has been established since 1855, at Endicott's Lone, and this Port for the above places. that he has always a great quantity of Best COAL in store for Sale. Gentlemen or Shipmasters wishing to patronise him, are requested to apply at his Shop. ly 750 Hongkong 24th April, 1872.

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Intimations.

TYABNUM D. COLLINS DENTIST. No. 7. ABBUTHNOT ROAD, HONGKONG. tf 293 Hongkong, 20th February, 1873.

BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNUR. TO H. I. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF RUSSIA.

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UNDERTAKERS, &c., OFFICE-No. 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD. Memorial Stones and Monuments erec'ed. tf 137 Hongkong, 21st January, 1873.-

E. R. HANDLEY, YTOUSE AND SHIP PLUMBER, COPPER SMITH BRASS FOUNDER AND GAS FITTER, 39 and 40, Praya West,

Next to the P. & O. Coal Stores, FOOCHOW DOCK.

RIVER MIN. THE above grants floored DOCK, of the following Dimensions, viz: Length, 300

feet, Breadth at Bottom, 40 feet, is capable of receiving Vessels drawing 13 to 16 feet, as the state of the Tides will allow. The Dock runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out by Steam. The above premises comprise a large Machine. Shop, containing a Whitworth's 12-inch Screw Cutting GAP LATHE,

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STRAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-TERRANEAN PORTS, AND SOUTHAMPTON:

BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM L NAVIGATION CONPANY'S Steamship ELLORA, Captain C. FRASER, with Her Ma. jesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the shove places on THURSDAY, the 6th March, at noon. Cargo will be received on board until noon Specie and Parcels at the office until 2 P.M. on the 5th idem.

The Ellora connects at Galle with the S. S. Mireanore, proceeding to Southampton via the For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, letters will be subject to an additional charge Hongkong, CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. on delivery.

A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold thomselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the lincorrectness in such declaration. The Company reserve the option of forward-

ing all goods shipped by their Steamers for on delivery. Europe through Egypt, either by rail, or by Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels employed for the purpose.
Shippers of cargo for Bombay are requested to take note, that the steamers leaving Hongkong in correspondence with the Australian Steamers from Galle to Bombay, may call at

the terms and conditions of the Company's the undersigned considers it necessary to make Black Bills of Lading. A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 24th February, 1873. THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE

CHINA AND JAPAN TO NEW YORK PACIFIC MAIL S. S. COMPANY IN CONNECTION WITH THE

Whampon for the above part, and having the CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANIES. THE S. S." COLORADO" will leave Hong-L kong for Fan Francisco, via Yokobama,

on WEDNESDAY, the 12th March, at Bo'clock P.M., taking Passengers, Mails and Freight, for | General Post Office, Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Passenger Tickets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokoto principal points in the United States, Cana- dressed to Russia, when marked to be forwardda, and Europe, via Overland Railroad and ed via Southampton, will be reduced to 40 cents connecting Lines of Steamers, and to ports in per half-ounce. Mexico and Central and South America.

A Steamer of the Company will leave Shanghai about same date, via the Inland Sca Ports, and make close connection at Yokohams. The "COLORADO" will be due at San Francisco about April 16th, whence duily Passenger trains and daily Froight trains are run over the Central and Union Pacific Railroad Lines for New York, and for all the principal cities in the interior and upon the Atlantic Sea-

Palace Sleeping Cars are run through on

these trains, making Drawing Room Cars by day, and Sleeping Cars by night; and are of General Post Office. the latest and best American pattern, being unexcelled for comfort and convenience. At New York, Passengers bave selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France and Germany.

Through Passengers and Freight to America be prepaid. from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Return Passage Tickets issued at a reduction of 20% on regular rates. No Freight received after moon of the Ilth proximo. Parcel Packages received until 5 P.M. same day; all Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

For further information as to Passage or

T. A. HARRIS, Agent. Congkong February 27th, 1979

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR

BAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT

NOTICE.

DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA, PORT SAID, MARSEILLES; PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND BOMBAY.

ON THURSDAY, the 18th Merch, 1873, at noon, the Company's S. S. "SINDH," chargeable on Packets of printed papers or Commandant MELIZAN, with MAILS, PAS- patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong SENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave to the United Kingdom by the United States. Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon- viz:don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping orders will be granted till noon, and Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 o'clock P.M. on the 12th March, 1873. (Parcels are not to be sent THE Proprietor of Kwong-KEE Shop begs on board; they must be left at the Agency's For further particulars, apply at the Com- and Trade Patterns or Samples. pany's Office.

Hongkong, 27th February, 1873.

O. BERTRAND.

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will close. For Shanghai and Yohohama. - Per Cyphrenes, to-day, the 5th instant, at 11,30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foodbow. -Per Formosa, to-morrow, the 6th inst., at 9.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH-PACKET.

The English Contract Packet "ELLORA"

will be dispatched with the usual Mails for

Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the 6th March, Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 5th March. The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. on the 5th March. Lotters, &c., may be posted during the night in the box left open for their reception. -Letters for registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 6th March. Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 6th March, without late fee. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 6th March, will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee of 18 cents each as well as the postage The Latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 10 A.M. on the 6th March.
Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to

to the postage. F. W. MITCHELL.

Singapore, Galle, Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, Large Godowns are on the premises for Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Suez The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M. on the 13th March, after which no Letters can be received.

> until 5 P.M. on the 12th March. until 10 A.M. on the 13th March. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General.

It is hereby notified that honceforward the posinge on letters addressed to Newfoundland. which must be paid in advance, will be as fol-

When forwarded vill 34 Marseilles..... When forwarded vin 1 28 Southampton

F. W. MITCHELL.

F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General.

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873. It is bereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 28 cents

Postmaster General. General Post-Office. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

per balf-cunce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge

General Post-Office. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1679.

Hongkong, 2nd January, 1873.

given notice to the General Post Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that state that any letters or packets containing such articles sent through the Post are liable, with their contents, to be forfeited.

It is hereby notified for general information,

which may either be paid in advance, or it puny " be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters. Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. EITCHELL.

Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870. It is hereby notified for general information. hams and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, that honceforward the Postage on Letters ad-

F. W. MITCHELL.

General Post Office. Hongkong, 18th September, 1872. It is hereby notified that the rates of postage chargeable henceforth on Letters addressed to ... the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the United Kingdom, when forwarded by French

> F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1872. It is hereby notified that Letters addressed to Erince may be sent either paid or unpaid at

The rate of postage chargeable on Letters addressed to France per French Packet is Per British Packet when marked via

Alexaudria and Marseilles...... 12 ,, F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. Freight apply at the Agency of the Company, General Post-Office,

It is hereby notified for general information hat on and after the lat August next, the Commission chargeable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama will be as follows,

VIZ.:-On sums not exceeding £2.........18 cents. Above £2 and not exceeding £5...36 Above £5 and not exceeding £7...54 Above £7 and not exceeding £10..72

Postmaster General.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the rates of postage which must be paid in advance.

For a packet not exceeding I ounce in weight...... 2 cente-For a packet above I ounce not exceeding 2 onnces......4

ceeding 4 ounces...... 8 ,, These rates apply to Printed Circulars, Price other than Newspapers, as well as to Books

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. Principal Agent, | General Post Office.

the United Kingdom vil Brindlet, or to Singapore, may be posted on hoard the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition

Postmaster General General Post-Office. Hongkong, 24th February, 1873.

MAILS BY THE "FRENCH PACKET," The French Mail Packet "SINDH" will be disputched on THURSDAY, the 13th March. at noon, with the Mails-To and through the United Kingdom via Marseilles; to France and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France), to Saigon,

Money Orders on any of the Money Order Agents. Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted Letters for Registration will be received

> General Post Office, Hongkong, 27th February, 1873.

OWS. VIZ. :-When forwarded via 34 cents each 2-ounce.

General Post-Office, per half-cunce, prepayment optional. Unpaid

It is hereby notified that benceforward the postage on letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 34 cents

> F. W. MITCHELL, Portmaster General.

The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) having Shippers are particularly requested to note Colony are chargeable with Customs Duties, this Regulation known to the Public, and to

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. General Post-Office,

that the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will henceforward be 36 cents for each half ounce.

Postmuster General.

Postmaster-General.

Packet, will be the sume as those chargeable on

Letters forwarded by British Packet via Brin-

the option of the sender; but the postage on Favorable arrangements have been made for Prices Current, Newspapers and Books cannot .. For each & ounce

Per British Packet wien marked vis

Hongkong, 2nd April, 1872.

F. W. MITCHELL. General Post Office. Hongkong, 15th July, 1870.

Packets via San Francisco, will be as follows.

For a packet above 2 ounces not exand eight cents for every additional four ounces. to inform the Public that his Sho, has Office.) Contents and value of Packages are Lists, Market Reports, and all printed papers

Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

Extracts.

MY LITTLE LABOURER. BY MRS. J. G. BURNETT. A they man, with fingers soft and tender, As any lady's fair;

Sweet eyes of blue, a form but frail and slendel And carls of samp hair, A household toy, a fragile thing of beauty-Yet with cach rising sun Begins his round of toil-a solemn duty. That must be daily done.

To-day he's building eastle, bouse and tower, With wondrous art and skill: Or labors with his hammer by the bour, With strong, determined will, Anon; with loaded little cart, he's plying A brisk and driving trade; Again, with thoughtful, carnest brow is trying Some book's dark lore to read. Now, laden like some little beast of burden,

He drags himself along. And now his lordly little voice is heard in Buisterous shout and song-Another hour is spent in busy toiling With hoop and top and ball-. And with a patience that is never failing, He tries and conquers all.

But sleep at last o'ertakes our little rover, And on his mother's breast. Toys thrown aside, the day's hard labor over, He sinks to quiet rest; And as I fold him to my bosom, sleeping, I think, 'mid gathering tears, Of what the distant future may be keeping

As work for manhood's years. Must he, with toll, his daily brend he earning. In the world's busy mart, Life's bitter lessons every day be learning. With patient, struggling heart? Or shall my little architect be building

Perhaps some humble, lowly occupation. But shared with sweet content; Perlaps a life in loftier, prouder station, in selfish pleasure spent. Perchance these little feet may cross the portal ... Of learning's lofty fauc, His life work be to scatter truths immortal Among the sons of men!

The world may rend his name?

Whate'er thy lot, O blissful little sleeper,. Where'er thy feet may roam; When life is done, and Death, the world's great Shall pall thy servant home,

Mayet thou go then as sweetly to thy slumbers. Earth's toys lay gladly down; Then rise, to wear 'mid heaven's angelic num-

A starry, radiant crown !

"THE SNAPPING DOCTOR." An eccentric character died recently in St. as follows: "There has just died in this to escape her grasp. She looked in various city, of small-pox, an eccentric old man directions along the floor, with a foolish face the agency of animal magnetism; and ex- when this seemed unsatisfactory, the disaptraordinary stories of miraculous cures of pointed animal, now widely awake, retired chronic diseases by him are in circulation slowly from the spot; but she returned more mands, she began to climb the tree. him. He was a very old man, and claimed found it impossible to comprehend how an to be 140 years of age, with an expressed object she had so plainly seen and grasped determination to live until the second com- should have sunk into nothing. Many ing of Christ. He was not only a very old, minutes clapsed before the cat appeared to but he was also a very dirty man. It is said be reconciled to the conviction that what had that for 20 years he had not washed himself, been a dream was not in truth a reality." and his apartments recked with filth. Dr. Hotehkiss was a queer-looking old fellow. He were a long gown and a red fez cap. His sharp, haggard features, begrirned with the accumulated dirt of years: his brilliant black eyes, restless with the fires of insanity; and his long, matted, snow-white beard, gave him a weird, unearthly look. His extreme age cannot be doubted, though it is hardly probable that he was 140."

COURT CHAT. Leopold?" "Does your ladyship mean the boen, it appears that, owing to Cherot's boots she rejoined, " of Flemings, Hainaulters, and very seriously injured. The bold hunter ex-Brabanters; but Belgians are new to me," presses himself much gratified by the amount His reply was, "My lady, before I had the of" sensation" be has experienced. honor to be presented to you, I have often heard you spoken of not only as a woman of intelligence and wit, but as a woman who had read much. Well, is it possible that you have preserved till our days?"

preventive measures, which were successful. was, that she was as strong as a horse, while the mixture of malt and peas on his burn. Once, at a time of great fatigue and worry, the doctor was a delicate man. She was so He put his paw into the cask where seissors

No doubt it is understood that any lady combination, neatly put by the side of his and even school girls will talk of corns as if changing words with his interesting patient in Alameda had been indicted be could simply

NASAL ORGANS. A thin, pinched nose is universally admitted to be a characteristic of sordid, selfmortifying, and miserable individuals, and is spheres, accident has frequently altered the so employed by painters, novelists, and tenor of the lives of men and materially incock-nosed men are a busy, bustling race, Royal, Dublin, may be illustratively adduced. ell's Magazine for January.

TICKLED TO DEATH. for whom O'Connell was once engaged to This gave rise to a disturbance, which all the prove that a witness was drunk and incapable on a certain day, and thus he made his bably the most popular stage manager who approaches:-" Well, Darby, you told the ever directed the bysiness of the theatre. whole truth to that gentleman," pointing to failed to allay. After vainly endeavouring the counsel who had just given him up; to address the audience, he was hissed and On which, in letters bright with glory's gilding, you, sir," and poor Darby recognised in the then leaving the Strand. Mr. Granby told committed himself and his friends .- From him," and accordingly Robson left for Lon-" The Book of Modern Anecdole."

> A CAT'S DREAM. Animals, especially the dog, cat, and parrot, often indulge in the luxury of dreams, A correspondent of Land and Water tells the following anecdote of a cat: "She was very still, and appeared to be fast asleep, limited spot on the floor, to which also her nose was applied, as if closely grasping something she held in her claws. This continued for a short time, when the nose was gently raised, and the visible attention was directed to the feet, which still continued their grasp; but after a time one of them was gradually removed, and then the other, at which puss

A WILD BEAST STORY. papers have just received a very pretty one fitigeted Lord Melbourne so much by making panther saw him. - Suddenly an enormous as he could carry. him shift his place when he was seated to his mass fell on his feet, which projected beyond Through the broken shell of his dear liking, that he rose, exclaiming, "I'll be - his ambush. At the same instant his left mother, a little young crab crept out, and Joachim Christian if I dine with you at all;" and walked off to foot was seized by the panther, and he was hid in the hole where his mother had lived. Kenilworth nerves were offended by his blacking; the the unfortunate men the most agonizing therefore he wished to be revenged. He ter, he was dining with a distinguished party a found shout. The noise or the flash fright- pair of seissors. "Sir Crab! Sir Crab!"

WINDFALLS FOR DOCTORS. The curiosities of medical life and practice in your many readings have never met the are endless. If we hear very often of medical gave his cakes and he was followed by the book by a person named Julius Casar, who men doing arduous work for very scanty re- chestnut. A wasp, a mortar, a pestle, and in his Commentaries gives to our population muneration, sometimes there is an agreeable some ox dung came too, one after the other. the name of the Belgians, and this name we obverse of receiving very splendid remunera. They all asked like the scissors and the tion for very scanty services. We know of a chestnut; the crab answered as before; he medical man whose duty it is to take lunch gave the cakes to each of them and walked every day at a great castle belonging to a lon with them. When they arrived at the A gentleman once apologised to me for noble lord. The household is immense; and monkey's residence he was abroad, and the treading on my foot as he got into an om- there is just the chance that there may be gate was shut. The wasp flew over the gate nibus. "I hope I did'nt hurt your corns, some case of indisposition demanding atten- and opened the door. The crab ordered the sir?" said he, jocosely. But I replied, with tion. He gets some of the best company and wasp to hide in the cask containing a mixture virtuous and I think just indignation, "I best lunches in England, and duly charges a of malt, salt and peas; the scissors, in the never have corns." A thrill of suppressed guinea for each attendance. There is a very cask where fruits or radishes were pickled the rest of us? was the sentiment that throb. physician of great ability who drives out of ox dung on the threshold; and the chestnut, when it impended, and had taken vigorous pulse. What made matters so aggravating agony of pain, and ran to the cask to apply

ple should submit to petty degradations of a rich man who proposed to pay a clergyman poisonous sting into the finger. Whateverthis kind. If they would only read, or ask several bundred pounds a year for leave to he did he got hurt, and he was obliged to doctors, or look about them, they would soon spend his evenings with him. The parson, leave his house. When he ran over the find out how to get rid of corns. As soon as however, was obliged to tell his rich friend threshold, his foot slipped in the ox dung I knew I had this hateful intruder, I got that he talked such intolerable twaddle, that and he tumbled down. The pestle at the some nitric acid, and spent half a day in get- he could not accept his company on any same time fell from the lintel, and the ting rid of him. Then I took proper pre- terms that could be named. But the oddest mortar from the roof, striking the head and ed out at the entry. From such other know- several years, and yet he has never seen his huge claws clawed his enemy limb from limb. ledge as I have of well-kept feet, I am certain patient. The gentleman firmly believes that The crab and his companions marched off that corns may almost always be kept away be has an esophagus of peculiar construct in triumph.-Hiogo News. or cared. There are feet in which they have | tion, and that he is accordingly liable at any never even threatened to appear-but then | moment to be choked. That help may be at the owners of such feet have taken care of hand whenever any sudden emergency may them. There is a story that Madame de occur, he has a physician in the house night ter. New York, for manulaughter in causing Pempadour, or some lady of that order, made and day. The physician, being human, must the death of passengers through negligence.

A last that she would compal King Louis to product take his walks absord and it becomes a bet that she would compel King Louis to needs take his walks abroad, and it becomes was bound to use care, to the best of his ability, kiss her feet. She did. In the dress of a necessary to provide a substitute for him two in running the train, and was entitled Lin peasant girl, with a butter-basket on her hours a-day. Accordingly a doctor attends to all reasonable doubts. The jury promptly Promoter is a second of the personable doubts. arm, and with her naked pink-white "tots" daily from twelve to two, fills up his time by returned a verdict of "not guilty," stating as a

AN INCIDENT OF THEATRICAL LIFE IN IRELAND.

In the theatrical world, as in all other dramatists. A sharp, hooked, flexible one fluenced their fortunes. As an instance of accompanies a propensity to scandal. The this, the cause of Robson leaving the Theatre romarkable for their self-conceit, their cool He had established himself as a great faassurance and loquacity—the sort of men vourite, not only at the principal theatre, but that will not be "put down by vulgar- also at the Queen's Theatre, in Great Brunsclamour, sir." Persons gifted with a nasal wick-street, then under the direction of Mr. expansion (vulgarly, horse-nosed) are gener- Harris. He had asked Mr. Granby to play ally individuals of an enthusiastic tempera- in a piece entitled "A Day after the Fair," ment. A slight dilation of nostril, to express in which Robson filled four or five different triumph, is assigned to the Apollo Belvidere, characters, one of them being a drunken By the same rule, pabulous and breathing cobbler, who, in reply to some question ad. I on behalf of the above Company, Policies nostrils-are-given by sculptors and painters dressed to him by the old man of the piece, ward sign of arrogance and defiance. - Cas- left off my evil ways." Unfortunately-or, perhaps, I should say fortunately, as the result showed some of the lower portion of the audience thought he said "priest," as he so to speak, slid over the word, speaking It was of great importance for the party as he did at the time as a drunken man. efforts of the actor and of Mr/ Granby, pro-Yes, your Honour, Counseller O'Connell." hooted off the stage. To such a pitch did How-do-you know my name?" "Ach, the feeling of the lower class of frequenters sure everybody knows our own pathriat." of the theatre rise, that the management was "Well, you are a good humoured, honest obliged to keep Robson's name out of the fellow, Uarby. Now tell me, did you take bills for a week. Meanwhile, he had received a drop of anything that day?" "Why, your an offer from Mr. William Farren, then honour, I took my share of a pint of spirits." lessee of the Strand Theatre, London. Mr. "Your share of it? Now, between ourselves, Granby urged him strongly to accept the surers. wasn't your share of it all but the pewter?" offer, much against Robson's will, as he was "Why then, dear knows but that's true for nervous about succeeding Compton, who was burst of laughter that arose, that he had him that Dublin was becoming "too hot for don. - Gentleman's Magazine.

JAPANESE FABLES. No. 1.—THE MONKEY AND THE CRAB. In ancient times there lived an old monkey and a large crab. One day they were playing together on the bank of a river, catching and picking up what came floating down the stream. What did they get? The crab got Bombay when suddenly she sprang into the middle of a grain of boiled rice and the monkey a Chinking the room, where she fixed her feet on a kernel of persimmon. The ravenous beast City of Exeter with eagerness persuaded his friend to ex- Cyphrenes change the grain for the kernel. The gener- Eliza Hunting ous crab gave it in accordance with her play. Elloramate's wish. The detestable monkey deyoured it instantly, but the moderate crab went home with the kernel. She sowed it in the ground, and addressed it thus: "Per- Malacca simmon! - Persimmon! Soon spring up! Maninec An eccentric character died recently in St. removed, and then the other, as whither Tours, Missouri, who is described by a correspondent of the Philadelphia Medical Times the imaginary object could have gone, so as my claws." It then sprang up, and she said Paturet again: "Persimmon! Persimmon! Soon city, of small-pox, an eccentric old man directions along the floor, with a foolish face grow up! &c." It rapidly became a tall tree.

named Hoteless, generally known as the of confusion; and then again her attention Persimmon! Persimmon! Security the 'Rea Dector's and was directed to the spot on which the fact Snapping Doctor, the 'Rag Doctor,' and was directed to the spot on which the feet bring forth your fruit! &c." The tree the Dirty Doctor. Hotchkiss was an illiterate man, who claimed to have superilliterate man, who claimed to have supernatural powers of healing the sick through been by sinking through the floor; and hang ripe! &c." The tree made a splendid appearance, with its ripe fruit as red as rubies. Now that she finished all her deamong the ignorant people who believed in than once to re-examine the place, as if she tried again and again, but all in vain. Just at this moment the monkey came, - the same bough and devoured a great deal of the "A good wild beast story" is almost as fruit. The poor crab looked up at her bad

to whom the crab had given a grain of boil- Albambra ed rice. The crab was glad to find her America friend bad come, and said, "Please, sir, ga- Anna ther my persimmons, and I will give you a Avon share." No sooner had be heard his friend Camilla Cayour say this; than he seated himself on a delightful as a good ghost story. The French friend, and entreated him to bring her some of the fruit. "Indeed," answered her ma- Cordan lignant companion in a very compassionate Cutty Sark. stant Cheret writes from the military hospital tone, "I will bring you fruit," and dropped Don Enrique at Phillippeville that, being on the 25th one fruit for his friend. The crab ran and Dragon of October in a lonely neighbourhood, a picked it up, and, behold I it was the small- Elemeor Dizon of October in a lonely neighbourhood, a purced it up, and, sound to was a lonely neighbourhood, a purced it up, and, sound to sir," entreated Emigrante colonist complained to him of having had a lest and greenest one. "O, sir," entreated Esbern Snare cow killed by three lions. Cheret, nothing she again, "This I am not able to eat; loth, went out two nights to witteh for them, please to give me a better one." The hard. Faugh Balaugh Lady Holland once sent her page round but saw nothing. On the 28th, he chose a the table to Macaulay to tell him to stop place where several roads met, ensconced him. the best one." He took the hardest of the Garibaldi talking. She told Rogers, "Your poetry is self behind some bushes; the branches of persimmons and threw it at his friend. It Georges bad enough, so pray be sparing of your which were thickly interlaced, and lay there broke through her shell and she soon died! Georges At a dinner in South-street, she flat on his face. He saw no lions, but a Her murderer went home with as much spoil Green Jacket

his own house, fortunately at hand. She drawn out of his hiding-place as far as the As years rolled on, he grew larger and larger, Kien-yuen-tye requested a celebrated daudy to move a little branches would allow. The panther kept stronger and stronger. He did not forget Lucky blacking which he vowed was diluted with pain, while he vainly tried to use his rifle, made some cakes of maize flour, put them into some cakes of maize flour, that He asked the same as the scissors. The crab replied as he had before to the seissors; he displeasure went round the omnibus. Who wealthy man near a great city, who cannot with a mixture of salt and bran; the pestle, is that? Why shouldn't be have corns like bear to be left for the night. There is a on the lintel; the mortar, on the roof; the backs or wens, and in this way they degrade services are such that money cannot repay warm he made a fire, and sat near the firelife. Now nothing is more easy, as a general them. A friend of mine, a young medicus, place on his spreading hind paws. Amid the or to cure them in the second. I had one a year to look after the health of an old lady. gun, and the chestnut leaped out from the Mosquito once, and one only. On former occasions I She required to be inspected three times a fireplace and struck the monkey on the Opessum

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farther off, on the ground that her olfactory grinding the foot in her jaws, and causing how cruelly his mother had been murdered, Lola champague. Shortly after M. Van de We- being impeded by the brushwood. At length his knapsack, and set out for the monkey's Morning Star yer's arrival in England as a Belgian Minis- he fired at random, at the same time uttering dwelling-place. On his way he met with a Nicoline at Holland House, when Lady Holland ened the beast, who let go her hold and fied. asked the scissors, "where are you going?" Palfas suddenly turned to him and asked, "How is Great as the pain of the panther's gripe had "To have my revenge against the monkey Presto who unjustly murdered my mother." "What Providencia Leopold?" "Does your ladyship mean the boen, it appears that, owing to Cherot's boots who injustry murdered his mapsack?" I have heard," being particularly strong, the foot was not have you in your knapsack?" I have Regina Maria are the best food in Japan." "Give me one Ban Juan of those and I will follow you as your Sun Lorenzo soldier." The crab gave him some, and they Sea Belle went on their way. The chestnut came along. Siamese Crown bed in those offended bosoms. But the quest town nightly to sleep at his residence; he is in the fireplace. They respectively took Dove tion I ask is, Why should any one submit to consequently debarred evening society, and it their situations as ambuscades, and the crab Dwarf having corns? They cause pain, they make he goes out to dinner he has to leave his hid himself under the floor. It was winter, Elk a healthy exercise inconvenient, they disfigure friends before wine. He has to charge his and the cold wind blew through the forest. Flamer the foot, being, in their degree, as painful to patient a thousand year; and, I think, he When the monkey come back, he had no Hornet the eye and to the consciousness as hump works hard for his money. Sometimes the idea what was going on, but to make himself Iron Duke thing, than to avoid corns in the first place, had a standing engagement of four hundred flame suddenly there was a crack as of a Midge

had become instantly aware of the danger day, and make an exhibition of tongue and stomach strongly. The monkey screamed in Princess Charlotte followed by much walking over shingly selfish and perverse, that he was obliged to was waiting, who cut off his finger. The Thalia ground, I did get a real painful corn. But tell her that he would have nothing to do monkey also put his paw into the cask of Thietle what unceasingly astonishes me is that peo- with her case. Similarly, I know the son of salt and bran, and the wasp pressed his Zebra cautions, and though he has made many of these arrangements is the following. A the back of the monkey. Then the crab Box attempts to return, he has always been kick. medical man has been attending a patient came out of his hiding place, and with his Duc

in sabots, she waylaid his Majesty, who was disposing of an admirable lunch, and finds reason that the conductor indicted had no. A very soon on his knees to kise the "tots." the gold and silver coin, in their usual happy ability to run a train; that he had no judgment (the would keep her feet as tenderly as Madame plate, in tissue-paper. Up to the present Daniels come to judgment, truly. If the switch. Ny de Portugadour bent here. But it is not done. de Pompadour kept hers. But it is not done; date he has never had the pleasure of ex- man who caused the Simpson's Station socident V they were necessary evils .- St. Paul's Maga- - From "The Romance of Medicine," in have pleaded that he couldn't read the time Andan sable and been acquitted .- S. F. Chronicla.

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